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I-275 closed

All lanes of northbound I-275 were closed on July 7 from U.S. 24 (Telegraph Road) in Monroe County to I-94 in the city of Romulus. Motorists should utilize alternate routes, according to Romulus police.

All lanes of the southbound I-275 will remain open. Limited detour signs have been posted along the route and on the east/west roads used to access I-275 from the Downriver area.

POGS visit kids

A new Canton community policing initiative, called POGS (police on the grounds) was introduced on Tuesday.

The POGS summer outreach program teams community policing offices on Team 2 with Canton Parks and Recreation staff during outings in the Public Safety command vehicle. POGS will take bicycle, motorcycle and canine demonstrations to families residing in subdivisions.

Stops are planned on July 14 at Fox Run Subdivision, and July 23 at Sunflower Subdivision. Activities begin at 3 p.m. at both sites.

Nominees sought

Nominees for the annual YWCA Women of Achievement awards are being sought in the categories of arts/communication, business/industry, government/law, professions, volunteer service and young women.

Nomination forms may be obtained by contacting the YWCA of Western Wayne, 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster, or by calling 561-4110.

Pressure checked

This summer, men visiting some area barber shops can get a blood pressure check along with a haircut.

This service is part of the Cut Hypertension Campaign, a pilot program sponsored by the Wayne County Health Department to reduce the high incidence of high blood pressure among African American males, 30 and older.



Dog's not gone

Young Jessica and Laura Rivard proudly give their pet Great Dane "Zeus" center stage as they await the opening of the free Romulus Pet Show last week. Visitors watched animals (ranging from dogs to ferrets) and reptiles entertain for several hours. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Embezzlement case Frye appeal rejected by court

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

An appeal by Kathy Ann Frye of Romulus, who was convicted of embezzling \$380,000 from her neighbor and Alzheimer patient Helen J. Pack on March 9, 1995, has been rejected by the Michigan Court of Appeals.

Frye, who was sentenced at that time to 3 to 5 years by Circuit Court Judge Claudia House Morcom, could be paroled as early as Aug. 30.

But the victims in this case, Richard and Helen Pack, have written a letter to Ronald Carrero, the state parole board's victim rights coordinator, reminding him that Morcom also required that \$380,000 in restitution be made (in the hopes that the parole could be delayed).

The Frye family, who own a large home next door to the Packs, reportedly have only paid back a fraction of that restitution order.

The Packs' letter states "those who commit crimes, especially against the elderly and incapacitated, should be held accountable for their actions."

They said that in cases such as Frye's the minimum and maximum sentence should be eliminated and replaced with a flat sentence.

They request that "restitution ordered by Morcom should be a condition of any parole date set by the parole board."

The Packs wrote they worked and saved their money

and "lived frugally for over 40 years, so that we could retire in comfort with peace of mind and dignity."

They claim that Frye's actions took much of their life's savings as well as much of the (current and future) interest on those savings.

Pack is now residing at a nursing home at a cost of \$39,000 for the year of 1997, her husband explained, and her health costs now exceed the family's pensions and Social Security benefits.

They conclude their letter to Carrero by stating "the Frye family lived the good life for over three years at our expense. We feel restitution would be appropriate and show accountability by Mrs. Frye."

The state appeals court said it could find no error in Morcom's conviction or sentencing of Frye, despite the fact that she originally was charged with 163 counts of larceny etc., of which the prosecutor asked all but 40 to be dismissed.

Another portion of the appeal rejected by the state court was the allegation that the prosecutor failed to prove that "Pack was incompetent on the dates that the joint bank accounts were opened."

The appeals court ruled "sufficient evidence was presented at trial to sustain the defendant's conviction."

Frye was convicted of having the ownership of two Pack family Certificates of Deposit (worth over \$200,000) changed with Richard Pack's name being dropped and Frye's name

replacing his. She later is accused of cashing in those CDs as well of taking money from other Pack bank accounts.

The appeal also claimed that Morcom erred in ordering the restitution of \$380,000, but the court disagreed saying the judge has that right.

The appeals court also disagreed with the contention that the trial court erred when it departed from the minimum term of imprisonment recommended by the sentencing guidelines. It said "the sentencing court may deviate from the guidelines range when the range is disproportionate to the seriousness of the crime and the defendant's prior record."

The appeals court added "the relationship between the defendant and the victim also is an important factor."

It said "the relationship between the defendant and Helene Pack was one of trust...and she made use of this trust to perpetrate her crimes...and that) was an aggravating factor to be considered."

The appeals court concluded its remarks on the appeal by writing that other matters included "the methodical and repetitive depletion of the life savings of an elderly man and his mentally ill wife, the devastating financial effect of the defendant's crime upon the victims and the defendant's lack of remorse" show the trial court did not abuse its discretion in rendering the defendant's sentence.

Cox named Oakley's assistant

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

David Cox, currently a member of the Wayne-Westland School Board, has been named the new assistant to Romulus Mayor William Oakley.

Cox, who also has served two years on the Westland City Council, was introduced Monday night to the City Council.

Oakley revealed last week that he had "several special projects" for Cox to work on, but said he had not at that time actually set-up a job description for him yet. No salary

level was revealed and no questions were raised by council members as Cox was introduced.

Early in his administration, Oakley had named a long time friend Tom Morris as his assistant at a salary of \$37,000. At that time, several departments were missing directors and Morris was asked to fill in at various times of the week in different roles to give the various departments (Building, Assessor and Community Development) some leadership and direction.

Morris left less than a year

later, as those director positions became filled. The assistant's role remained empty until July 1, when Cox began his new duties.

Cox revealed last week that he was excited about the future of Romulus with its ties to Metro Airport and all the pending growth patterns that will be involved with it.

The veteran political activist, who also has served as vice chairman of the Nankin Transit group, said he is anxious to help create "the vision" needed to lead the city into the 21st Century.

5-Points to close on Monday for nearly a month

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

In an effort to jumpstart the downtown road pavement program, the city announced plans to close the 5-Points intersection on the edge of Romulus on Monday.

The closure is expected to last three to four weeks with a savings of an equal amount of time on the overall project's schedule.

Mayor William Oakley admitted recently that work on the Goddard road project was not moving along as fast as his administration and local business owners would like.

He cited skeleton work crews, underground surprises, erratic weather patterns and limited teamwork from area utility companies as some of the reasons for the project's slowness.

Following the announcement that some downtown businesses have dropped about 25 percent of their business volume since the work project began, Oakley has publicly urged area residents and those who work in Romulus to shop locally so that the business owners and operators don't bear the heaviest brunt of the city's modernization effort.

City Department of Public Works Director David Paul urged residents to watch for the detour signs that will direct traffic through the re-routed areas that lead to the city of Belleville and Huron and Van Buren Townships.

Residents will probably make heavy use of Wahrman, Northline and Grant roads during this month's closure, Paul said, and those familiar with many of the smaller roads also will have other options available.

In unrelated matters, the City Council voted to table a special land use approval re-

quest made by Vincenzo Di-Domenico for a 9.8 acre area on Beverly road, between Ball and Middlebelt roads.

The seven member council debated the issue for over an hour Monday night as council members pressed the issue that none of the truck traffic going to the property should travel on Beverly road.

A side issue developed when Councilwoman Deborah Romak, demanded that Beverly road not even be listed on the firm's mailing address. A compromise is being sought in which Cypress is used in the property's business name and Cypress road is used by trucks frequenting the area.

No date has been set for a continuation of the special use approval hearing, but it could be as early as Monday.

The council also decided to seek bids for the city's hot patch road repair work this October, after the current patch work season is completed.

Oakley had asked the council to seek bids now that the city is without a contract (as of June 30), but council members persuaded the mayor to continue the contract until the end of the 1997 season and then seek bids for a two or three year pact.

Councilman Jimmie Raspberry urged that local firms be looked at closely even if they don't turn in the lowest bids for such services as hot patching and weed cutting. He said such Romulus firms usually respond quicker to the city's needs.

Councilman William Crova reminded Raspberry that three of the four asphalt companies listed on the city's bidder list are from Romulus. The fourth is located in Trenton.

But the city's options will not be limited to those four potential bidders, it was explained.

Theodore Romak to challenge Oakley

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

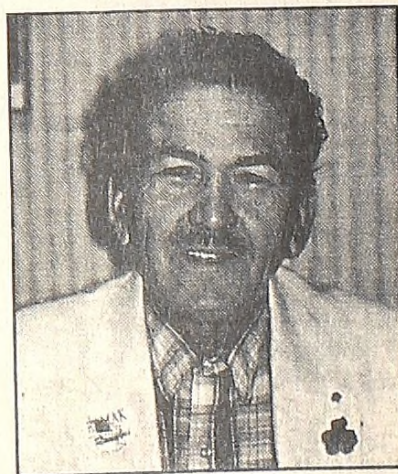
Long time Romulus resident Theodore (Larry) Romak revealed it was his anger over having Mayor William Oakley's son, Brian, run for 34th District Court judge last year that spawned his interest in running for mayor this fall.

Upon visiting the offices of the Michigan Community Newspapers recently, Romak revealed that his campaign plans have not been drawn up yet. "But my comment on the judge's race should definitely get their attention. Particularly since I can guarantee my son won't run for judge in two years," he said.

Romak's chief claim to fame right now is that he is the father-in-law of current City Councilwoman Deborah Romak. In fact he sported two of her re-election buttons on his jacket when he visited the newspaper office.

Romak, 71, will face incumbent Mayor William Oakley and another challenger Leo Knasiak in a mayoral primary on Sept. 9.

He served in the U.S. Marines in World War II and is



Theodore Romak

now a retired truck driver and experienced instructor of other driving personnel.

The basic theme of his campaign will be to create change in the city, Romak said.

"We need to clean-up the image of Romulus," Romak declared "with better lighted streets and efforts to beautify our neighborhoods and streets."

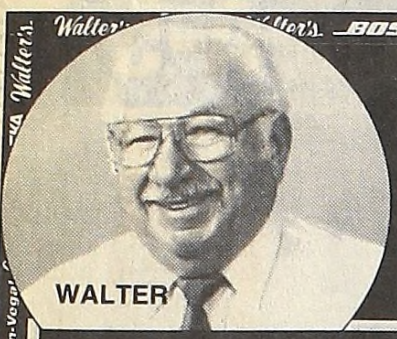
Romak has lived in Romulus the last 47 years, previously residing in Detroit. He is a graduate of Casey High School of Detroit and attended Lawrence Tech for a year and a half.

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Kevorkian allegedly assists another suicide

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

The long arm of death reached into Romulus again last week--this time at the Comfort Inn hotel--as it was reported a New Jersey woman suffering from multiple sclerosis took her own life apparently with the help of Dr. Jack Kevorkian.

The same day (July 2) another apparent assisted suicide took place in Roseville. Romulus Detective Lt. David Early reported the Romulus death was discovered by a maid at 10:40 a.m. last Wednesday at the Merriman road hotel.

Kevorkian reportedly had been counseling Lynne Lennox, 54, of Lakewood, N.J. since 1993. Her body was found hours after she registered at the hotel on Tuesday. Only a wheelchair belonging to the deceased reportedly was found in the hotel room, police said.

This was the third assisted suicide involving an out-of-state woman to occur in Romulus in recent months. Early said "this is an exact duplicate of the victims we found earlier this year."

As in the past, the suicide victim was found lying fully clothed on a hotel bed, with a note to contact attorney Geoffrey Fieger near by.

Ms. Lennox, a former bookkeeper, reportedly had suffered from MS for the past 17 years and considered suicide for the past few years.

Her body was turned over to the Wayne County Medical Examiner's office.

This is an exact duplicate of the victims we found earlier this year.
- Lt. David Early

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DIGEST

Wayne responds to emergency calls

Wayne firefighters responded to 25 rescue calls, three house fires and one vehicle fire during the week of June 30 to July 7. In addition, they responded to 60 other incidents, including a large number of wires-down alarms due to the July 2 storm.

The Wayne Fire Department reminds residents that smoke detectors are "life savers."

Teams to improve MEAP testing

The Regional Education Service Agency of Wayne County has instituted a program known as the Benchmark Project to create assessments that districts can use to gauge how their students are doing in the years leading up to the MEAP tests.

Teachers from Plymouth-Canton participating are Krista Jewett, Peter Puozuol, Barbara Pastalaniec, Pattee Rupert and Cynthia Morningstar; Patricia Adams of Romulus; Donna Keller, Becky Ingersoll, Rosalyn Pollard and Sharon Mayernik of Wayne-Westland, and from the Van Buren School District, Marriane Cipkowski, Diane Spence, Cathy Walter, JoLynn DeBuysseher and Ina Wesenbergs

Society chooses new officers

Virginia Presson has been elected president of the Wayne Historical Society.

Other new officers are Arthur Aigeltinger III, vice president; Jean Cobb, secretary-treasurer; Richard Andrews, publicity; Jerry Sullivan, programs; Iola Carrico, refreshments, and Claud Berard, trustee.

Jim Dolezky is in charge of newsletters, and Nalda Dolezky is newsletter mailer.

Golf Classic slated at Fellows Creek

The 1997 Canton Chamber Golf Classic will open with an 8:30 a.m. shot gun start on Aug. 15 at Fellows Creek Golf Club, 2936 Lotz Road, Canton.

The cost is \$150 per person and \$500 per foursome, which includes 18 holes of golf with cart, continental breakfast, lunch, beverages on the course, buffet dinner, door prizes, contest awards and a raffle.

Contact the Canton Chamber of Commerce, hosts of the event, at 453-4040 for information.

Top Romulus senior walker

Mary Sneath was the only member of the Romulus Senior Citizen Center to complete 50 miles in a recent walking program sponsored by the center.

Center Director Linda Norman revealed Sneath was the only Romulus resident to complete the one mile a week walk program at Wayne County Community College for 50 weeks.

More than a dozen senior citizens took part in the ongoing exercise, but only Sneath completed 100 percent total.

She received a certificate for finishing the walk's goal recently.



Mary Sneath



Wild winds!

High winds whipped Western Wayne County on Wednesday, but tornadoes bypassed the area to hit parts of Dearborn, Highland Park, Hamtramck and Detroit in addition to areas to the north. The sound of chain saws and the whirl of generators was heard throughout the area as repair and clean-up crews went into action.

Jerry Engle of Westland (top, left) observes the damage to his tree and yard on Avondale, while Detroit Edison crews remove a tree so that broken lines can be repaired on Northwood near Inkster Road. Above, a utility pole toppled by the wind at Henry Ruff Road and Glenwood knocked out power to the surrounding area. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Crack down! Illegal fireworks confiscated

By LORI GILLESPIE
MCN Staff Writer

After five years in operation at his Canton location, Efim Burda fears he may be out of business next year. Not because he lacks customers, but because the police and sheriff's departments keep raiding his business.

"You try to run a business when you are being harassed," Burda said.

However, Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficano says the raids, such as the one conducted last Wednesday, are justified.

"The Michigan Court of Appeals statute was challenged and was upheld," Ficano said. "The provisions are to be complied with. Michigan law clearly states which fireworks are legal, and which are illegal."

According to the sheriff, illegal fireworks are those which either elevate and explode, or those which blow up, such as firecrackers.

Burda's store, located on Michigan Avenue, is split into two sections. Aisles one, two, and three are for the less dan-

gerous items, such as sparklers. Two other aisles are blocked off, and patrons must read a purchase agreement, be able to abide by one or more items on the agreement, and join the American Fireworks Users Association before entering. This section of the store contains M-80s, Black Cats, and other fireworks which Michigan law considers dangerous.

According to Burda, the purchase agreement requires signees to use the fireworks in legal shooting sites. He said there were many locations, most within 40 miles of the store, but claimed that he did not have a copy of the purchase agreement available.

Burda said he could be sure that people would use the fireworks in these locations because they signed the form saying that they would.

"This is a great American tradition," Burda said. "It doesn't matter if they buy them in Michigan or go to Ohio. People in Michigan are getting the squeeze. By shutting us down, they are turning people into bootleggers. They still come to Michigan and shoot them off."

According to Ficano, the

Sheriff's Department received information that the store was selling illegal fireworks.

"We sent in two undercover officers to purchase fireworks," he said. "They asked if they could purchase from the Members Only section, and were told they could."

The officers left the store with approximately \$200 worth of illegal fireworks. To get the wording exact on the search warrant regarding the projection of the items, the Sheriff's Department shot off a couple of the fireworks.

"One officer went to set one off to see the projection and it shot back at the officer," Ficano said. "These things are unpredictable and dangerous."

Burda said his store has been raided twice before within the last two years, but claims nothing came of it, and his merchandise was returned within two days. He added that he does not sell any of the fireworks to anyone under 18.

A Canton resident in the store when the officers moved in, said he didn't think the fireworks should be illegal, although he had not bought any



Sheriff Robert Ficano examines the fireworks on the shelves at Burda Brothers Fireworks. MCN photo by Lori Gillespie

from the Members Only section.

"If they are properly used, under adult supervision, there should be no problem," he said. "I understand why they are doing this though."

The Wayne County Sheriff's Department waited until Burda's store received their shipment on July 2 before moving in. Officers took inventory of the merchandise consid-

ered illegal, boxed the items, and put them on a truck. Burda's employees were sent home, and the store was shut down for the day.

According to Sheriff Ficano, the items will be stored until after a judge hears the case and makes a decision. After that, the items will either be destroyed or returned to Burda.

Waste-to-energy conversion planned

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Thomas M. Barnett, president of Central Wayne Energy Recovery, took off his gloves and came out swinging at environmentalists who he said are spreading factoids, half-truths and rumors about a \$100 million project that would turn waste into energy at the Dearborn Heights-based incinerator owned and operated by Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority.

"Instead of fighting us on this project," said Barnett during a press conference called on Thursday at the CWER offices, "environmentalists should be applauding our efforts and joining us."

"The waste-to-energy project is an economical, environmentally-sound method of disposing of our waste. These people have spread half-truths and rumors about the project in hopes of stopping it."

"But, let me say this, this project will go forward be-

cause there is no logical or rational reason for it not to."

Barnett called the project's opponents "extremists who do not know what they are talking about, and definitely are not interested in the facts."

Located at 4901 S. Inkster Road in the city of Dearborn Heights, a stone's throw from the city of Inkster's boundary line, the Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority operated incinerator was built in the early 1960s to dispose of raw garbage and trash generated by the five-member communities of Garden City, Dearborn Heights, Wayne, Westland and Inkster.

Residents of the five cities pay nine-tenths of a mill (.9) to help finance the operation of the facility. That millage rate will continue after the waste-to-energy project is completed, according to Barnett.

However, because of federal laws, specifically Clean Air Act, which required such facilities to comply with more stringent air quality standards, the incinerator was shut down for

seven years during a period between 1982 to 1989.

Then State Senator William Faust, along with present Wayne County Commissioner Kay Beard and former Wayne County Commissioner Milton Mack rallied the communities to approve additional millage to upgrade the pollution control equipment on two of the furnaces. The cost to turn those furnaces back on was \$12 million. The facility has been in operation since.

Subsequently, federal laws have been passed that call for even more stringent control of air pollution.

James Collieran, who served as chairman of the CWCSA board in 1996, said that the authority did not possess the financial resources to upgrade the facility.

"Therefore, we went looking for a 'white knight' and, after a search, came upon the Baltimore-based corporation," Collieran added. "After hearing several proposals, Barnett and his group presented the best offer, according to our

specialists."

Central Wayne Energy Recovery, which has entered into a limited partnership with the local Authority, "will be operating everything," Barnett said.

Asked whether the soil tests presently being conducted by a cadre of Michigan Department of Environmental Quality engineers to determine the level of soil contamination at and around the facility site would have any effect on the project, Barnett replied, "No."

"We were going to conduct those tests, anyway. We don't want anyone to come back later and say it was our fault."

"But, it would also surprise me if the soil was not contaminated," Barnett continued. "That soil has been here a long time and just consider the number of oil changes and industrial products that have been dumped on it."

"This is why we believe our method of disposing the waste is far better. We have a 35-year contract to sell the energy we generate to Detroit Edison.

This is what we would call a win-win situation."

Barnett reiterated that the state, the county and the cities support the project, and intelligent environmentalists do, too.

The project could provide:

- New jobs - About 200 construction jobs will be created during the construction period. Existing operating jobs will be preserved and qualified personnel will be trained for the new positions;
- A new revenue stream - Sale of electricity to Detroit Edison under a 35-year contract will be made possible by the addition of an energy-recovery system to the incinerator;
- Cost control - Waste-to-Energy offers long-term waste disposal at stable and affordable rates;
- Taxes - The project will generate significant tax revenues, in addition to pumping millions of dollars into the local economy through increased payroll and operating expenditures;

Romulus youth attend Boys State

Two outstanding Romulus Senior High School students have attended the 60th Annual American Legion Boys State Program. The program was held on the campus of Michigan State University in East Lansing.

The two local students, Victor Lucaj and Gregory D. Scott, Jr., joined 748 other youth from throughout the state. They each received scholarships valued at \$195, which covered the cost of the programming, food, and housing in a univer-

sity dormitory. Lucaj is the son of Martin and Maruka Lucaj of 15225 Spruce Ct. His scholarship was sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Romulus.

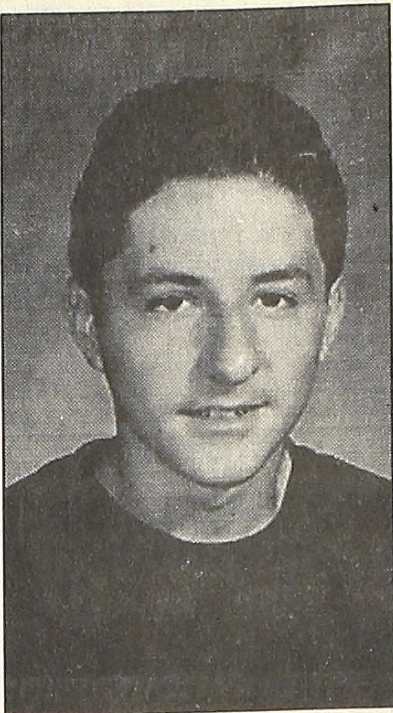
Scott is the son of Gregory Sr. and Trudi Scott, residing at 35096 Ecorse. He was sponsored by the Progressive Club of Romulus.

Both are completing their 11th grade at Romulus Senior High. Thus, they will be returning as seniors to share their Boys' State experiences with their classmates next fall. The Boys' State Program du-

plicates the very process by which the government in Michigan and in Washington D.C. operate. Each young man gained first-hand experience on how to work within a political party, question and work for the common good.

Aside from this practical learning experience, each boy learned the priceless lesson of team participation while maintaining his own individuality.

The long-term experience, together with the friendships developed, are not soon forgotten but stay with the boys the



Victor Lucaj



Gregory Scott Jr.

CITY OF ROMULUS ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS LOCAL RELIEF SEWER PROJECT SRF PROJECT NO. 5117-28 CITY OF ROMULUS

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Romulus at the Clerk's office 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174, until 2:00 p.m., Local Time, Thursday, July 31, 1997, at which time and place said Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud for the following approximate quantities of work:

4,500 linear feet of 15- and 18-inch sanitary sewer in open cut, 250 linear feet of 15- and 18-inch sanitary sewer bored in steel casing, 16,000 square yards of concrete pavement removal and replacement, and related work.

Contract Documents are on file with Ms. Linda Choate, Clerk. Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations: City of Romulus, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174; F.W. Dodge, 10 Oak Hollow, Suite 330, Southfield, Michigan 48034, Construction Association of Michigan, 1625 South Woodward, P.O. Box 3204, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48302, Daily Construction Reports, Plan Room, 25229 Dequindre Road, Madison Heights, Michigan 48071-4211, and Wade-Trim/Associates, Inc., 25185 Goddard Road, Taylor, Michigan 48180.

Copies thereof for bidding purposes may be obtained at the office(s) of Wade-Trim/Associates, Inc., 25185 Goddard Road, Taylor, Michigan 48180, starting on Monday, July 7, 1997, upon making a payment of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars if picked up or Forty (\$40.00) Dollars if mailed, none of which will be refunded.

Each Proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, money order, or bid bond on the form provided in the Contract Documents, in the amount of at least five (5) percent of the amount bid, drawn payable to the City of Romulus as security for the proper execution of the Contract.

The City of Romulus reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bids should it consider same to be in its best interest.

Bids may not be withdrawn for the period of 90 days after date of receiving bids.

Ms. Linda Choate, Clerk
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Linda Choate, CMC, Clerk
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rest of their lives.

The ultimate learning experience derived from this program is that each boy leaves with a thorough and working knowledge of how our American system of government can affect change, implement ideas into law and benefit society as a whole.

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Whether the boys attending become directly involved in the actual political process in later life or not, each one of them will join the American scene knowing that anything for the common good is achievable in our system.

Perhaps, more importantly, they will each know how to achieve that common good through a peaceful and orderly process.

John Domas, Romulus High School counselor, would like to thank the following people for their help, support, and assistance in making it possible to send those two well qualified and deserving students to Boys' State: Mae Jackson and William Knight, counselors; Gerald Nault, Romulus Progressive Club and Romulus Kiwanis Club; Kathy Hurst,

Student Government advisor; Rosalie Berlinn, class advisor; Dennis Stoh, Ann Scott, Kathy Abdo, Mike Kernohan, teachers; Daniel Hurst, Melvin Kimbrough, Douglas Hoffman, principals; and Judy Nutt, guidance secretary.

Bicycle rodeo planned Aug. 2

Romulus area youth between the ages of five to 10 will be invited to a bicycle rodeo on Aug. 2 sponsored by the Community Services Division of the Romulus Police Department.

The event listed as part of the annual Bicycle Safety Day will be conducted from noon to 2 p.m. at the Romulus City Hall parking lot.

Romulus police officers will be on hand to register the youth's bicycles, complete a safety check of the bike and guide the cyclists through a bicycle rodeo during which bicycle safety will be stressed.

Lt. Robert Brown said a rain date has been set for Aug. 9.

McGruff the Crime Dog also will be in attendance.

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A PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM

MAYOR OAKLEY

On behalf of the administration and the city council

I wish to extend my sincere gratitude for the cooperation so many have shown during road and sewer construction in the Goddard road business district. This much needed project has created disruption for all Romulus residents and perhaps been most costly to our business neighbors in the area.

While the city is working diligently to complete this work as soon as possible, our business neighbors continue to suffer the effects of reduced business traffic. Please join me in showing special support at this difficult time. As it says on the great seal of our city, "industry and its citizens working together".

Thank you for your understanding and your continued support of our fine area merchants.

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Charles and Cathy Logwood (back row, left) gather on the front porch with their 12 children. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

Kids by dozen

Small house 'overflows' with children

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
MCN Managing Editor

If children were gold, Cathy and Charles Logwood would be rich -- 12 times over.

In a way, the Logwoods are rich in love for their family -- their four biological children and the eight that they brought into their loving home when the children's parents could not or would not care for them.

"We take them to church and we teach them to put God first," said Charles Logwood, who came from a family of 12 children himself.

Cathy says simply that she is the kind of a person who can't say no.

"If someone has a crisis, I just pitch in and help. I'm a Christian person," she said.

First, she took in four children of a sister, then two other children and lately two more.

In a small, yellow house on Walnut Street in Inkster live the couple and their five boys and seven girls: Nayomee, 2 months, Erika, 14 months, Di-onte, 27 months, Debrisha, 4, Charles II, 5, Mikayn, 6, Allen, 8, Cheryl, 11, Trumayne, 13, Dwayne, 15, Melvin Jr. 15, and

What I'd really like to do is build a bigger house on the vacant lot next door. Maybe, if we could get some help with donations of building materials, we could make our dream come true.

- Cathy Logwood

Shianne, 15.

The children are polite and well-behaved and appear to have an uncommon devotion to their siblings. They are expected to behave and the Logwoods "keep them in line."

"There are too many to allow them to act up. Our house would be chaos," Cathy said, with Charles nodding in agreement.

Charles works a full-time job plus extra jobs to supplement his income. Cathy, of necessity, is a stay-at-home mom. "The older ones help take care of the younger ones. They are a blessing," Cathy said.

Although the house abounds in love, it is short on

space, Cathy said. "We just don't have enough room for all of the kids. We have them sleeping everywhere."

The Logwoods have equity in the house that they are living in, but not enough resources to build or buy a house big enough to meet their needs.

"What I'd really like to do is build a bigger house on the vacant lot next door," said Cathy pointing to the empty lot to the north. "Maybe, if we could get some help with donations of building materials, we could make our dream come true."

Her hope is that someone or some group -- with a heart as big as her own -- will lend a

helping hand to provide an adequate dwelling for her large family.

She has prayed about it, and she knows from personal experience that prayer can accomplish miracles.

Several years ago, her 23-month-old infant slipped away from the family at a park and fell into the water. The child was found floating face down 15 feet from the shoreline, and appeared to have no life when recovered from the water. Those who worked to revive him felt that the child had been deprived of air too long to recover without long-term physical and mental damage.

"My child was dead. We prayed for him and our church prayed for him, and he recovered without any brain damage," Cathy said.

Will Charles and Cathy be able to obtain a house big enough for fill the needs of themselves and the 12 children? We can't answer that, but we do know if prayer could bring a child back to life than it doesn't seem impossible that it could put a roof over his -- and the 11 other children's -- head.

EMT sponsors 9-1-1 camp

On July 9 and 10, and Wednesday and Thursday, July 16 and 17, the Wayne County Community College District Emergency Medical Technology Program is a cosponsor of "Camp 9-1-1." This day for youths ages 10-13 provides interactive experiences in injury prevention, bystander care and EMS careers.

Local youths will spend two days at the College's Downtown Campus where they will learn how to prevent traffic and home injuries and to perform essential lifesaving skills for injured victims. These

skills include opening the airway, rescue breathing and bleeding control. The camp will conclude with a 9-1-1 obstacle course and presentation of certificates and Bystander Care Kits to campers.

Training and materials for the camp are funded by the Office of Highway Safety Planning and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. There is no charge to campers, but the program is limited to 24 participants. For more information, call Anthony T. Arminiak at 313-496-2712.

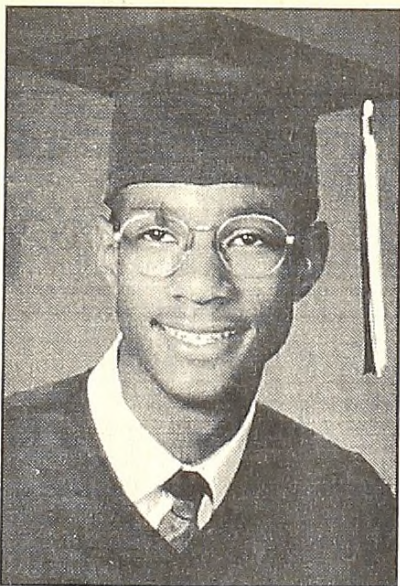
Student travels to Amsterdam

Courtney Robinson, grandson of Herman and Lovell West of Westland, left Saturday for the Buitenzorg Scout Center, located outside of Amsterdam in The Netherlands.

Although his grandmother noted that Courtney had some problem with his plane connection, he arrived in Amsterdam without delay to begin his assignment.

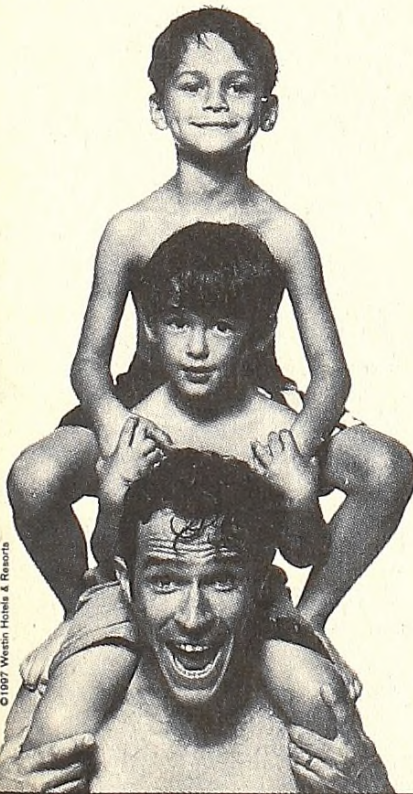
He will work as a staff member at the camp for the summer.

Afterward, Courtney will travel by train to Spain where he will meet with his classmate from the University of Michigan and they will fly back together, and will resume the fall semester at U-M.



Courtney Robinson

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10. Auto Dealer (Foreign)	60. Drapery Store	110. Pet Groomer
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23. Boat Equipment and Supplies Store	73. Furniture Rental Store	123. Best Italian Restaurant
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Baron's Academy graduates 16

By AL POST
MCN Staff Writer

Despite various political shutdowns and interferences throughout the school year, 16 former Detroit dropouts were able to earn their high school diplomas on June 30.

Ironically, it was revealed about 20 more former dropouts finished only a half credit short and thus appear to be assured of graduation in 1998.

Sam LaMonica, Romulus Schools human resources director, revealed the graduation took place in the Community Arts Auditorium of Wayne State University under the direction of Quentin L. Mingo, program superintendent of Baron's Academy.

Mingo formerly served as interim superintendent of the Inkster Public Schools.

The graduates of the 1997 program sponsored by the Romulus School District, were awarded diplomas by Mingo, LaMonica and Kenneth Berlinn, president of the Romulus School Board. More than 150 staff members, parents and friends of the graduates at-

“
If you believe in yourself, you will succeed.
- Kenneth Berlinn

tended the ceremony, LaMonica said.

The classes at the new school of choice for Detroit dropouts began last September, but were plagued by numerous shut downs by Detroit city fire department leaders at the request of the Detroit schools.

Detroit officials tried to close the operations through fire hazard claims and through the courts, but while attendance was cut back substantially at various points the graduation ceremonies were conducted on schedule.

The graduation brochure listed 30 teachers and instructors, who taught language arts, mathematics, science and social study classes, as well as

sessions in auto body, building trades, computers, cosmetology and nursing assistant areas.

Students needed to merge their former class credits while studying in Detroit schools with Baron's Academy credits to earn their diplomas.

Pamela Kelly served as director of education for the program and provided the closing remarks at the graduation. One graduate, Summer Cross-Nelson, also gave a student's reflection theme at the services.

Male students wore maroon gowns, while their female peers were adorned in white gowns.

Berlinn said the graduates received a yearbook with photos of themselves and school staff members, diplomas and programs marking the celebration.

“I was extremely impressed with the attitudes of both the students and their parents. They were well disciplined and appeared just as proud as students and parents were at the recent Romulus High



Kenneth Berlinn
School graduation,” Berlinn said.
During his part of the ceremony, Berlinn stressed “If you believe in yourself, you will succeed.”

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Bennett announces housing tax credits

Adam Seniors Village in Westland and Silver Creek Apartments in Flat Rock have been awarded federal low income housing credits through the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA), state Senator Loren Bennett (R-Canton Township) announced.

The tax credits will assist developers of certain rental properties in providing affordable rent to people with low incomes. Adam Seniors Village will receive a little over

\$1 million, and the Silver Creek Apartment complex will receive \$599,978 to help with this endeavor.

“This is extremely good news for the residents of Westland and Flat Rock,” Bennett said. “Everyone deserves quality, affordable housing. Those in a lower income bracket are no exception.

“These funds will go a long way toward improving the lives of certain residents, while improving relationships with the community.”

Paving to close part of Warren

The unpaved portion of Warren Road, from just west of Beck through the intersection with Ridge, will close to through traffic beginning next week until the end of August. The reason for the closure is the paving of that portion of Warren, as part of the Royal Pointe West subdivision development.

Detour signs will re-route through traffic during this time. Drivers on Warren Road will be directed to use Hanford to get around the closed portion. Those drivers along Ridge will be directed to use Gyde or Hanford, because the intersection will be closed as well.



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Mother Goose Passes Savings Along To Parents

Dear Percy: Should I be fortunate enough to have my request printed and granted (how's that for presumptive), I'll be factual, specific and brief. I run a daycare for 7 children—ages 3 to 8. The nice weather has everyone wanting to be outside. The kids are literally howling for me to get a swing set. The cost of a sturdy one will run \$750. This would provide good physical exercise for the kids—helping to develop coordination, etc. It would also help me to stay competitive in prices by not having to pass the cost along to the parents, many of whom are single and struggling. How about it? I'll even name it “Percy's Plaything” by engraving your name on a plaque. Sound like a deal? Ms. H. T. ... *The Advocate*, Victoria, TX

Dear Ms. T.: Finally, a plaque to satisfy my critics who think I should donate my money and have a hospital wing built. I'd much rather go with a swing set and provide hours of fun for children, who may someday reciprocate the deed in their community. My \$750 is on the way, along with my respect for not raising your prices. Just be sure people know what you're referring to when you speak of “Percy's Plaything”!

Dear Mr. Ross: I'm unemployed and have no money. My friend, Jim, is well aware of this. That's why he knew I'd be glad to take a deer carcass he found on the side of the road. I butchered it in my bathtub and worked until dawn cleaning it. Before Jim left he told me he would stop at the court house to report the roadkill so I wouldn't be accused of poaching. On his way home he decided it was too late and he wanted to go straight to bed. I have no phone or transportation, or I could have done it myself. Well, someone must have seen us with the carcass and called it in because the police came to my apartment. I told them what happened but I still got summoned to court and the judge fined me \$65. I think it's ridiculous that a poor person can't pick up roadkill for

food without being treated like a criminal. If you could help me out with \$65 to pay the fine, it would sure ease my mind.

Mr. B. C. ... *The Advertiser*, Pine City, MN

Dear Mr. C.: I'm not advocating roadkill as a staple in anyone's diet, but as I see it, the county should have paid you for removal of the deer. I'm sending you \$65, plus an additional \$100. Something tells me you're going to need a few fixings to go with all that fresh venison. Bon appetite!

Dear Mr. Ross: My life long dream is to become a major league baseball player. I was lucky to get recruited and I'm a freshman at Upper Iowa University. This school can't give scholarships—only financial aid. My family is poor and my parents still have my two brothers at home. When I came to school I brought with me the only glove that I've ever owned. We're now two weeks into our practices and the lacing hole on the web has broken. My glove is completely shot. My parents said they can't afford to get me a new one and I don't have two nickels to rub together. The last couple practices I've been borrowing a teammate's, but he's sick of lending me his glove. A new one would cost \$95. I know this is a lot, but if you could just give me half, I would find the rest.

Mr. K. P. ... *The Press*, Sheboygan, WI

Dear Mr. P.: And just where are you going to find the rest of the money? Under the pitcher's mound? Son, \$95 is not a lot to ask for, especially when you're chasing a dream or a pop fly ball that's darn near out of the stadium. Heads up—\$100 is on the way, along with my best wishes for a successful career.

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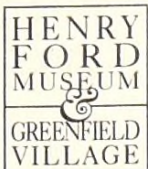
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Time honored tradition-Trashing local politicians

I didn't want to write anymore. After 20 years of facing this deadline, and that, I was determined to put my column to rest. That's what I thought six months ago.

Guess what? I've decided to stroke my computer keys once again and offer a column once and a while. Please bare with me as I try to get back into the groove. Elections and politics are fertile ground for commentary. Here's my thoughts:

-Wow, local school board elections, usually pathetically mundane affairs, were filled with fireworks this year. I was very happy to see Wayne-Westland voters send Patricia Brown packing. No friend of this newspaper, she called me up one day and said she was going to organize an advertising boycott against us; start a competing newspaper in Westland; and file a lawsuit if we didn't get off her back. We are told this is the way she ruled the school board-with threats and bullying tactics-and if true, that is a sad chapter for Wayne-Westland. Adios Trish.

-We also hoped that voters in Van Buren would exit Ralph Nodwell. Although a very goodhearted man who volunteers for every cause, Nodwell made a huge mistake (we are giving him the benefit of the doubt by calling it a mistake) by requesting the school board to pay for his trip to California after already having received a check from the superintendent. Next time I betcha Ralph pays for the trip himself. Anyway voters were more forgiving than us.

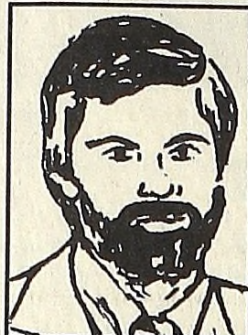
-Maybe the biggest news of all, was Wayne-Westland's Superintendent, Duane Moore's quick getaway. Immediately after the June election, Moore called it quits, leaving the country before reporters could make a big deal about it. Too bad, many thought he was doing an exemplary job, but apparently, just like several of his predecessors the heat was too hot in the kitchen so Moore found it more expedient to split to safer surroundings.

The kitchen's turned to a sauna in Belleville, where our public officials continue to bicker. The latest screaming match got our city fathers on the front page of the Detroit News one day last week. One wonders whether Mayor Dennis Fasset, City Manager Kerreen Gellert, and city council will ever be able to agree on anything.

-Westland Mayor Robert Thomas deserves a good challenge. His administration reminds me of the "big boss" days when city's were run with an iron fist. The man has a hard time dealing with criticism. He continues to get re-elected because many are afraid of him. I don't know if Ken Mehl can provide the challenge or not. He certainly has a recognizable name but he has pissed off his share of people along the way. He'll need to spend money, and lots of it to overcome Thomas's incredibly large war chest.

-The R & R gang, Rucker and Rutter are firmly in control of schools in Inkster. Now lets see what they can do with the control. Things have not been right at Inkster Schools for years and one has to fear the State stepping in at some point. Emphasis needs to be placed on students and instructions, not power struggles and benefits for board members and administrators.

-EQ gets PCB's but loses its PR campaign with the public. Despite a huge public outcry, Environmental Quality was successful in receiving a license to accept PCB's at their Van Buren facility. We think this decision is wrong but then again, we're only the local neighbors that must live with this stuff. Local governments like the Van Buren Township Board ought to have had some say in this decision.



Mike's musings
Mike Wilcox



Western campus may be the answer

Guest Editorial

By Russ Tuttle, WCCC
Community Outreach

See if you recognize this scene: Mom and Dad are sitting on either side of the kitchen table and their son Tommy is sitting at one end of that same table.

Strewn about the table is a large collection of college catalogues, each opened to the page which talks about the costs involved in attending that particular school. The looks on the faces of the three people involved are looks of shock and profound concern.

It would appear that the costs of attending a four year residential college have really skyrocketed in the past decade. Here's an actual example. At what most enlightened people concede to be Michigan's premiere university, a three-credit-hour class in the School of Literature, Science and Arts costs \$911. just for tuition.

Now you do the math on this one. If you enroll for only 12 credit hours (15 credit hours is, or was, the norm, but high costs are forcing many students to extend their college experience to at least five years), you are going to pay \$2,774 in tuition alone for one semester. Two times that amount for the year; and you have \$5,548 for tuition. The reason the amount is a little lower than one would anticipate is the fact that the University uses a descending scale of charges as you take more than a certain amount of credit hours. But even so, we are talking a tidy amount of money.

When you factor in room and board, any special fees which always seem to surface, and of course books, you are looking at a yearly bill for a full-time student which simply is too often beyond the ability of the average family to pay. So what's the answer to this puzzle?

Curiously enough, the answer may be found right here on Haggerty Road in Van Buren Township. While it's true that we don't have a magnificent football stadium (although we are starting to put in place a basketball team!) and we don't have a

School of Medicine or Law, we do have something else which is most desirable. We have the ability to reward the honest student with an Associated Degree (AD). As a bonus, the credits earned in obtaining the AD are transferable to any four-year institution in the State. This means, quite simply, that one of our graduates can enter Michigan or Michigan State or Eastern Michigan as examples, as a junior. The freshman and sophomore years were completed during the AD process. You have automatically cut the costs of the four-year institution in half.

And what does it cost to take course work at the Western Campus? Our tuition is a very modest \$54 per credit hour - \$162 for a three-credit-hour subject.

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Add to that any special fees and books and you'll have a total considerably less than you'd pay elsewhere.

We are fortunate at the Western Campus in that one of our staff personnel is a licensed counselor. He will sit down with you and map out an academic route which leads to the AD status. He is also capable of advising those people who are more interested in technical or vocation education (perhaps a certificate or special license) than they are in the pure academics of an AD program.

Even with the agreeable charges we levy, there are still those times when a person just can't afford us. Not to worry. Something like 75 percent of our students are recipients of some kind of student financial aid either through a government program or through a tuition plan supported by one's employer. If you have the ability and desire to be a college student, we will somehow, some way see to it that

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Programs appreciated!

To the editor:

Thank you for donating the programs from the 1997 Air Michigan Air Show programs to our school. We received 350 programs for the second, third, and fourth grades. They were received with enthusiasm.

Students particularly enjoyed the center layout of the Blue Angels and the article on the Stealth Fighter. I'm sure that a few are even planning on attending the 1998 show with their parents. I had two clues that the students appreciated the programs. Not a single one was left in my room, unlike my homework assignments. The predominant question of the day was, "Can we take these home?"

I hope that next year's weather is better and that you run out of programs, but there was an educational benefit. I'm sure the majority of the students were interested in the beautiful color photographs, but I'm quite sure that some sat down with parents or older siblings and read about the U.S. Army Golden Knights, the U.S. Navy Blue Angels, or the F117 Stealth Nighthawk. As a publisher, I'm certain that you support efforts in encouraging young people to read.

Judy C. Mongelluzzo
Teacher, Wayne
Elementary School
Detroit Public School

Education play

To the editor:

I am so sick of hearing the Wall Street-Washington elites pushing education as the cure for all our problems.

By any measure, America is over educated not under educated. We have a absolute glut of doctors, lawyers, and PhDs in every field. Many of our people are over-qualified for the jobs this economy is creating.

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Please understand, education is a wonderful thing, sort of like eating your "veggies." But, eating your veggies will not cure a cancer.

And, this country has an "economic cancer" that is beyond being cured by education or any other political quick fix.

The cancer is corporate greed. American corporations are desperate for reliable cheap labor. It's almost a feeding frenzy. They'll do anything to get well-disciplined cheap labor, even if it means selling out the American middle class to the Chinese communists.

The Chinese love "hard" American money, and US government bonds. They have billions of dollars of them with more arriving every day. They know that eventually the creditor calls the tune that the debtor has to dance to. Soon China will be a major player on Wall Street and in Washington.

The Chinese have an even lower opinion of the US Congress than most Americans do-if that's possible. They know that in Washington everything is for sale.

But, hasn't free trade given us the "miracle economy" that is the envy of the world? Pure nonsense!

It is true that the Western European economies are post-Kenyansian basket cases. But the only thing miraculous about the US economy is the position of the US Dollar.

The US Dollar is the world's reserve currency. It is the keystone in the current system of global trade. And, as such, must be preserved at all costs. Foreigners must buy our bonds!

Our low inflation rate can be accounted for by low growth in average real wages for over 20 years. Additionally, the Wall Street propaganda machine must take us all for idiots when they claim that 2.5 percent GDP growth constitutes a "Sizzling Hot"

economy.

Further, our low unemployment rate is accounted for by the low number of new workers entering the workforce because of the "baby bust" generation-the "20 and 30 somethings."

Also remember, large numbers of downsized "40 and 50 somethings" have dropped out of the workforce because they are "over qualified" for service jobs. Or, because they refuse to work for less than a living wage." many middle aged men would do anything rather than take a job that requires them to utter the dreaded phrase: "Do you want fries with that?"

We can not educate ourselves out of the current dilemma. And, those who push the "education solution" do us a disservice, because they are only providing a smoke screen behind which the Wall Street-Washington "greed elites" can operate.

Walter Warren
Westland

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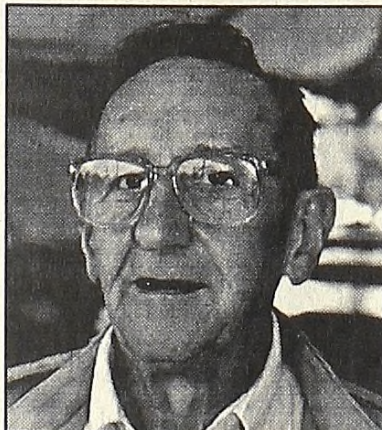
To the editor:

I have diligently read all the letters recently published in our local newspapers and have come to a final conclusion about the school board election. I've noticed with alarm that a great majority of the letters are written by teachers, maintenance workers and other school employees. The content of their letters is strikingly similar:

These employees are determined to cover-up for a superintendent and board member (s) who have apparently behaved in a manner which can only be described as dishonest. Why are our teachers and other employees so adamant about protecting the status quo? Why can't they deal with the truth? Their actions have weakened the connection between the school, home and parents. They have destroyed what

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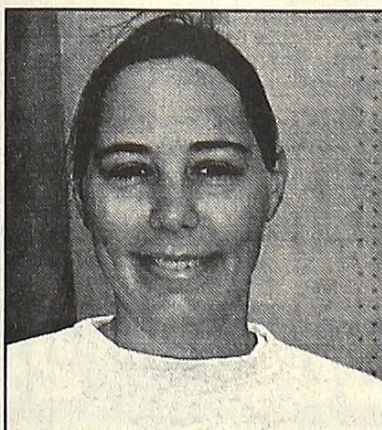
FOOTNOTES: How do you keep cool in the summer?



Vince Wacht
Dearborn Heights
"I can't handle the heat. It hits 85 degrees and I'm in trouble."



Richard Anderson
Westland
"Air conditioning."



Carol Rotwell
Canton Township
"I stay in the air conditioning."



Lyle Taylor
Sumpter Township
"I play in the water or go swimming."



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Habitat worker

Marshal Wied of Romulus, a science teacher in the Van Buren Public School District, participated in the 1997 Jimmy Carter Work Project sponsored by Habitat for Humanity. He was one of more than 2,000 volunteers who worked in Appalachian communities to build homes for the needy. MCN Special Photo

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your desires are satisfied. Additionally, you should understand that age is or barrier to academic accomplishment. Indeed, if you are over

age 60, there is no charge for tuition - it's on us!

In all of our public utterances we stress the fact that it is the citizens of the Wayne County who own the College. With the ownership of any entity there comes a concomitant obligation to use that entity.

Are you up to your responsibilities as an owner? Give us a call. Maybe we will see you this fall.

Editor's note: Russ Tuttle is regional director, Community Outreach and Public Affairs, Western Campus, Wayne County Community College District.



Police Reports

Van Buren's Public Safety Department reported these incidents for the week of June 30 through July 7:

A breaking and entering was reported in the 5800 block of Winchester at 10:35 a.m. June 30. Another B & E was reported at 11:41 a.m. in the 2100 block of Rawsonville, and a B & E in progress was reported at 11:51 a.m. in the 9100 block of Parkwood.

A complaint of malicious destruction of property and assault and battery was reported at Leggs Lounge at 3:15 a.m. July 1.

Officers responded to a rollover accident at 7:40 p.m. on Sumpter Road. Another injury accident occurred on the South Service Drive and Denton Road 8:31 p.m.

Officers responded to the 11000 block of Lighthouse at 7:18 a.m. July 2, when complaints were made about larceny of airbags.

The Public Safety Department kept an eye to the sky as the area experienced severe storms, which spawned several tornadoes. A downed live wire was reported at 10:32 p.m. in the 12600 block of Lake Point Pass.

A breaking and entering alarm in the 50000 block of McBride lead to a warrant arrest at 2:14 p.m. July 4.

A stolen watercraft was reported at 5:50 p.m. in the 12000 block of Linda Vista.

Several complaints were received regarding fireworks, with the first received at 12:04 a.m., and the last at 11:47 p.m. July 5.

A domestic assault and battery was reported at 8:43 a.m. July 6 in the 11000 block of Oak Lane.

At 4:11 a.m. July 7, the pub-

lic safety department was alerted to malicious destruction of property involving 10 mailboxes on Fret Road.

A suspect smashed a window in a gold 1988 Ford that bore the sign "Environmental Industrial Services" while it was parked on Margaret street in Romulus on June 30.

Two airbags were reported stolen from a 1997 Ford Escort on June 30, while it was parked on Diane street in Romulus. A hole was punched under the passenger side door to gain access to the car.

Five semi trailers were spray painted with possible gang graffiti on June 30 while they were parked in the area of Cypress and Brandt streets in Romulus.

A black 1997 Chevy Suburban was stolen from a GM Powertrain lot on Ecorse road in Romulus on June 30.

A male burglar was attacked with a steel bar by the occupant of a Wayne road residence in Romulus on July 1 until he fled and later was nabbed by local police. Charges are pending.

The suspect reportedly gained entrance to the residence by climbing in a window.

An outside screen was removed from a Stephanie street apartment in Romulus on July 1. Possessions were disturbed, but police were not told if anything is missing at his time.

A mobile home resident on Pan Am street in Romulus was arrested on suspicion of torching the home on July 1. The suspect was nabbed sitting in a nearby mobile home shortly after the blaze, police report. The burned home was heavily damaged.

Criminal background checks to continue in Wayne County

Wayne County Sheriff Robert A. Ficano announced that despite the U.S. Supreme Court decision striking down portions of the Brady Law, the Wayne County Sheriff's Department will continue to do criminal background checks on prospective purchasers of handguns.

"Keeping weapons out of felon's hands will continue to

be a priority of the Sheriff's Department. Most law enforcement agencies and most citizens agree that people with criminal histories should be restricted in their right to purchase a weapon," said Ficano.

The Supreme Court in its decision did permit law enforcement agencies to voluntarily comply with the background checks.

Scam alerts issued to consumers

The Better Business Bureau has issued several scam alerts to warn consumers about current swindles.

Consumer tips include the following:

• **Franchise Fraud** - Beware of fast-paced, high pressure sales tactics which attempt to entice you to "act immediately" to get in on the "ground floor. The Federal Trade Commission required that franchise sellers must provide a buyer with a detailed disclosure document at least 10 business days before the buyer pays any money or lengthy commits himself to the deal.

• **Magazine Scams** - The caller may claim that there is no cost for the magazine, only a processing fee (which may be larger than the retail price of

the magazines). Callers also may not explain the full cost of the magazines, but only provide an evasive "just a few dollars a week."

• **Co-signing a loan** - When a bank, credit union or finance company tells someone that he needs a co-signer, they are really saying that this person may not be a good credit risk. By agreeing to co-sign, you are telling the lender that, if the other person walk away from this obligation, you will be responsible to make all of the payments. (Up to 75 percent of all co-signers end up making the payments.)

• **Nigerian Scams** - One of the scams is an international letter claiming to come from an official in the Nigerian National Petroleum Co., who claims his agency is sitting on

millions of dollars and he needs to find a trusted American partner in order to keep it. All the caller asks is the individual's bank account number, so he can deposit the commission money in his account (but, in reality, the number is used to clean out the account.) Another scam is directed at small businesses asking for samples of their goods, which are then stolen after they are received. Sometimes, letters are sent asking for money to enable a Nigerian girl to study in America or asking for a large donation to keep someone from being "sold into slavery."

Questions about these and other scams can be directed to BBB, 30555 Southfield Road, Suite 200, Southfield, Mich. 48076, or by calling the 24-hour line, 810-644-9100.

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little semblance of trust did remain with the citizens of this district.

I know now why our children are not being taught ethics and morals- you can't teach the subject if you don't know the subject!

In an article gleaned from the Detroit News on 01/31/96, it is noted that according to a study by the American Association of School Administrators: "Honesty, integrity and taking responsibility for personal actions ranked above

technical and communication skills." And "Business leaders and futurists ranked ethics as the skill today's youngsters will need most."

I searched my conscience and asked...Can we, the voters, trust a superintendent or board members to teach and lead our children when they themselves do not, in word or action, display the necessary and vital traits of integrity; who do not take responsibility for their personal actions; who deliberately lie in an attempt to conceal their illegal actions?

Robert Sevo
Belleville

Actor gives views

To the editor:

Will Smith, star of Men in Black, insists that AIDS is the result of testing in biological warfare, that the disease was introduced into the homosexual communities in America that the Army has sprayed the common cold in the subway system of Manhattan to test medications, and the CIA put drugs and guns in the black communities.

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Neil Goodbred
Livonia

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New technology

Canton soldier trains in Death Valley

Nothing along this desolate stretch of California's Mojave Desert, just a few short miles from Death Valley, remotely suggests that less than three years it will see the dawning of a new millennium.

Yet, for the son of a Canton man, this scraggly, rock and sand drenched wasteland stretching over 1,000 square miles became the laboratory for one of the most dramatic

displays of new military technology to ever be tested.

Army Pfc. Benjamin T. Sovereign, son of Richard P. Sovereign of Ledgewood Drive, Canton, was part of an elite group of soldiers from Fort Hood, Texas, who traveled to the Army's National Training Center to test the world's most advanced military technology destined to transform the battlefield of the 21st Century.

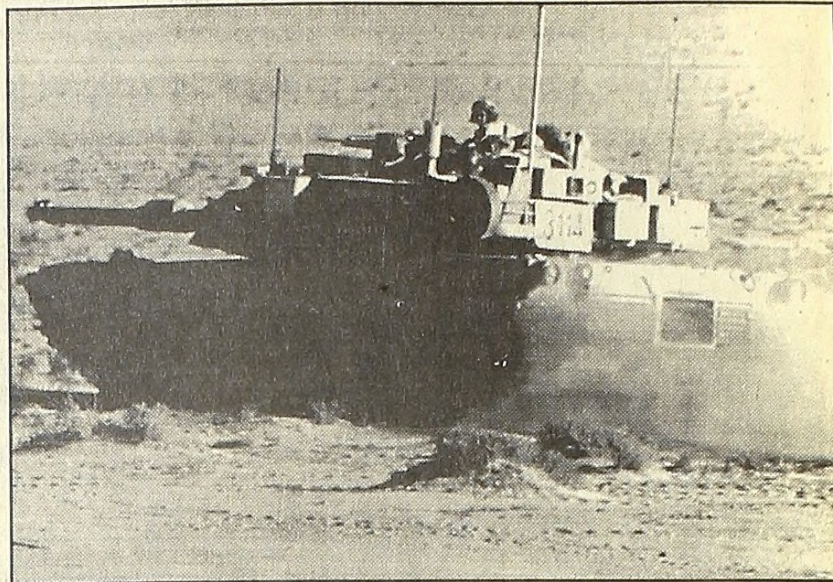
Sovereign is a member of the Army's official experimental unit, the 4th Infantry Division's 1st Brigade, tasked with learning and testing the new software, computers and weapon systems. Called "Force XXI," the idea is to re-fit conventional tanks, artillery pieces, air defense weapon systems, infantry fighting vehicles, and even attack helicopters with state-of-the-art technology that will give U.S. forces a huge edge over any other force on any battlefield.

The experimental unit traveled to Fort Irwin to do battle with a highly trained opposition unit called the OPFOR, made up of some of the Army's best infantrymen, tankers and artillery men trained in former Soviet Union tactics and using Soviet-style equipment and uniforms. Both sides equipped themselves with sophisticated laser sensitive gear that sounded an alarm when "hit" by the other side—providing an added sense of realism to the training. Sovereign and his unit used their new technology in a series of battles to see how well they could perform against the OPFOR compared to units who have come before them. Most units in the past have failed.

"With a lot of preparation and anticipation, the battle begins at sunrise. The desert heat arrives early and works on sapping our drive and motivation. I found myself in a foxhole at daybreak, tracking the soldiers in my unit. Next I mounted a Bradley Fighting Vehicle equipped with the most advanced battlefield equipment in the world. It allows us to look at the battlefield, the way you would look at a chess board. You know where all your pieces are, as well as where the enemy is," Sovereign said.

Other units who train at the National Training Center bump heads with the OPFOR for a two-week rotation. This

An Abrams tank (right) rolls across the desert of Fort Irwin, Cal., during a "battle" between opposing units. Army Pfc. Benjamin T. Sovereign (below) clears the firing chamber of his M-16 rifle after returning from a mission during an advanced fighting experiment at Fort Irwin. Sovereign is part of an experimental brigade from Fort Hood, Texas, testing new technology on a simulated battlefield. MCN Special Photo



experimental unit added another week that severely tested every piece of equipment and computer system involved. The last nine days of the exercise were spent in a free play exercise with no real rules and a boundary of a desert playground the size of Rhode Island.

During the high tech battle, Sovereign was a dismount infantryman with the 1st Battalion, 22nd Infantry. "My job here was to be a highly motivated infantry dismount. I was brought here to seek and destroy the enemy with a great vengeance. I carried an anti-tank weapon and I was also the

designated portable radio operator," Sovereign said.

The road leading up to this desert experiment was far from an easy one for Sovereign and his fellow soldiers. The experimental brigade spent close to two years in training classes and field training exercises. The equipment was so advanced that it took extensive training to become familiar with it," Sovereign said.

After the exercise over one million pieces of information were processed to determine what systems will make it into the next century, what systems need work and what systems are unlikely to see the light of day.


The most important weapons on the battlefield of the 21st Century, though, won't be the fancy lap tops or the automatic guidance systems. The key to winning in the next millennium will be no different from when Patton blitzed across Germany or Alexander the Great conquered most of the known world. The key to winning on the 21st Century battlefield will be soldiers like Sovereign who are able to use and control this new technology.

Editor's note: This story was written by Rich Lamance and provided by the Army & Air Force Hometown News Service.

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Westland parks provide summer fun

By DON RICHTER
MCN Special Writer

It's summer time. That means it's time to get outdoors and enjoy the wonderful, sunny weather. It also means it's time to shape up, your body, that is.

At the Westland Parks and Recreation, Director Bob Kosowski heads a very busy operation these days.

Some of the programs being offered this time of year, of course, mainly deal with activities outdoors.

"The swimming pool is very popular this time of year," Kosowski said. "We're open everyday and we offer parties at the pool for anyone who would be interested."

For those of you not interested in swimming all day

The swimming pool is very popular this time of year.

- Bob Kosowski


door basketball court, for those who love asphalt.

When asked who generally participates in these summer programs, Kosowski said, "We see all ages. We have a large number of adults in our programs and plenty of youngsters. We, also, see an abundance of 8-16 year olds participating. It's all very positive and it keeps the kids busy and off the streets."

To sign up and get information on any of these programs, just head on down to the Bailey Center, located behind Westland's City Hall and they'll be more than happy to help you out with any of your questions.

Bring your baseball mitt, bathing suit or basketball and get over to the Bailey Center to enjoy summer, while you can.

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After all, parents need play time, too. And sometimes they just play better by themselves.

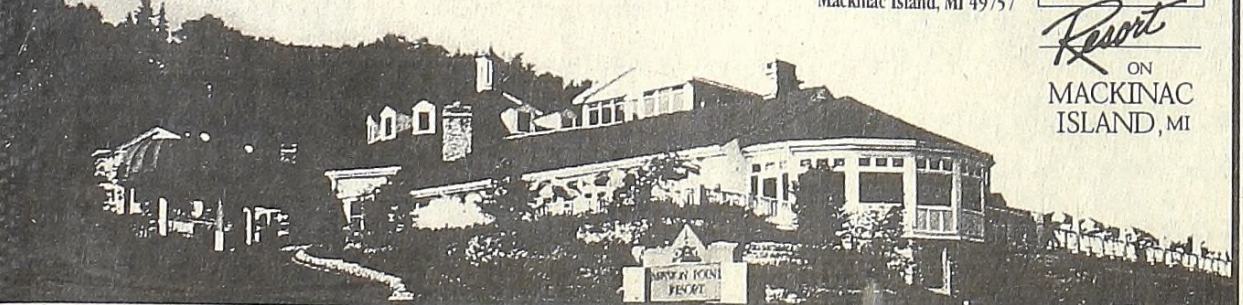
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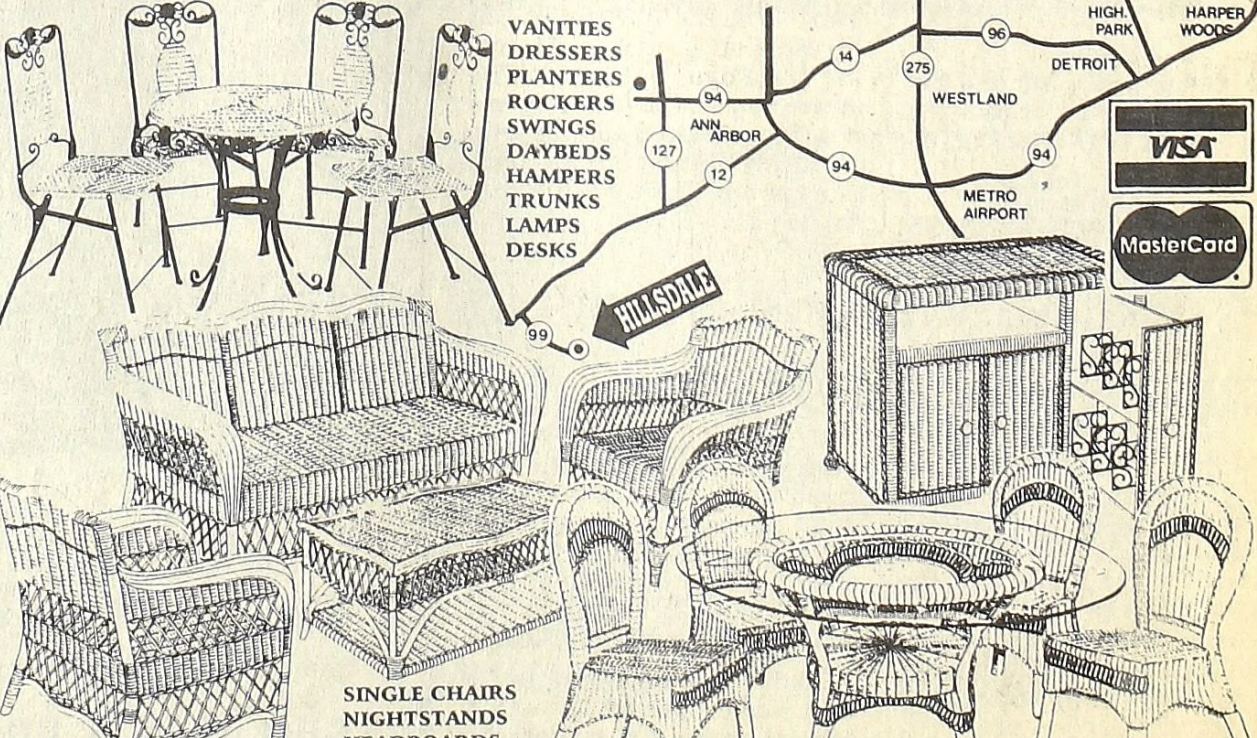


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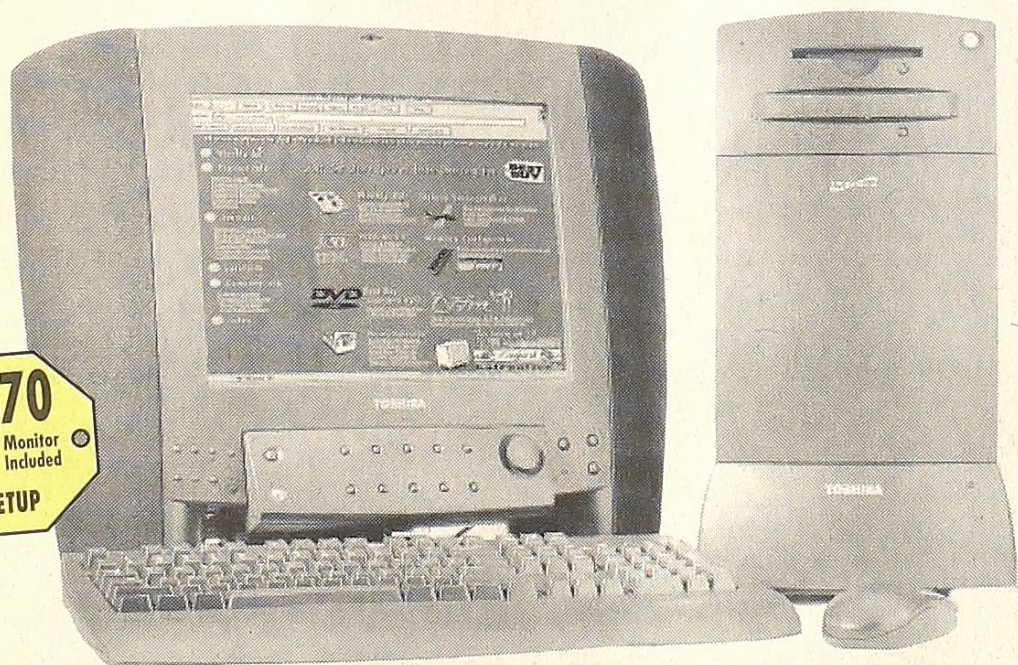
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La-De-Dahs play old-time baseball

Batter up!

The La-De-Dahs, the "retro" baseball team sponsored by Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village, are playing old-time baseball on the grounds of the village and off-site fields.

The La-De-Dahs are a recreation of a Waterford baseball club of the mid-19th century, and the team plays by the rules of that era.

Spectators quickly notice the absence of such pieces of equipment as batting helmets and gloves. Stealing is considered illegal and there are no 90-mile-per-hour fast balls, screwballs or sliders in these games, which invoke memories of a "kinder and gentler time" in America when summer afternoons included visiting with neighbors while watching a ball game.

The 1997 schedule for the La-De-Dahs is as follows:

- July 11 and 12, evening games of town ball against visitors on the village green at 6:30 p.m.
- July 13, versus the Ludington Mariners of Ludington on the activities field at 1 p.m.
- July 17, 18, and 19, evening games of town ball against visitors on the village green at 6:30 p.m.
- July 19 versus the Ohio Village Muffins of Columbus on the activities field at 1 p.m.
- July 24, 25 and 26, evening games of town ball against visitors on the activities field at 6:30 p.m.
- July 27 versus the Canal Fulton Mules of Canal Fulton, Ohio, on the activities field at 1 p.m.
- Aug. 3 versus the Sycamore Grasshoppers of Sycamore, Ohio, on the activities field at 1 p.m.
- Aug. 17 versus the Akron Black Stockings of Akron, Ohio, on the activities field at 1 p.m.
- Aug. 23 versus the Colorado Territorial All-Stars of Denver, Colorado, at 1 p.m. on the activities field.
- Aug. 30 and 31, away games to Columbus, Ohio, as part of the Ohio Cup.
- Sept. 20, away game to Tiffin, Ohio, as part of the Tiffin Heritage Festival.

According to Tom Stoll, La-De-Dah's player-manager, the 1997 schedule provides another exciting year for visitors to the village.

"The team plays nine home games throughout the summer," Stoll said. "The games allow visitors an opportunity to enjoy baseball the way it was originally played. And, because spectators sit so close to the action, they have as much fun as the players do."

La-De-Dah games are played on the activities field located at Greenfield Village.

One-man band plays at park

Guy Louis of Chautauqua Express performs free at the Nankin Mills Picnic Area in Westland on July 15.

Louis, a member of the Michigan Touring Arts, plays all of the instruments in his performances, except the ones he passes out to audience members.

He is performing as part of Wayne County's "Children's Evening Out" series of concerts and performances aimed at youngsters.

The Nankin Mills area of Hines Park is located on Hines Drive, east of Ann Arbor Trail.



Pageant delivers new spin

A new spin on the Westland Festival Queen Contest was presented this year when each contestant was asked to dress as her role model. Consequently, among the "special guests" at the event were poet Emily Dickinson, journalist Marguerite Higgins and actresses Marilyn Monroe and Audrey Hepburn. First runner-up Melanie Ledesma, who is hearing impaired, chose the deaf Miss America as her idol. Holding trophies (top left) are Tracy Lynn James, second runner-up, Westland Festival Queen Jillian Crouson and Melanie Ledesma. At the bottom left, contestant Dawn Pertula checks her make-up. The 1996 queen, Angela Fernandez poses with the new queen (top right) and Jon Handzlik, the son of the master of ceremonies, (bottom right) presented flowers to Rebecca Brokas. MCN photo by Jerry Mendoza



Personality profile Champion swimmer teaches at local pools

By SHARON POPEK
MCN Special Writer

Blanca Salame of Canton was born in Ecuador and grew up in a swimming pool.

Originally, she swam with her sister, Gladys, and finally alone as she perfected her breast stroke. She attended private school and swam in an outside pool belonging to the city, Nautico Guayas. She swam from 6 to 9 a.m., from noon to 3 p.m. and from 6 to 8 or 9 p.m. every day -- and she was the only girl.

"The coaches were very pushy. They encouraged you all the time, but if you did not show up, they came to get you," she remembered.

She learned to speak English when she attended St. Juneo.

Many South American countries could not afford to send teams to the Olympics. However, they had their own "All South American Games." In 1961, she was part of a team that participated in the Grand Columbian Games which took place in Columbia where she won a bronze medal that featured the Olympic rings. However, in the South American Games, there are six rings, instead of five. The plane full of athletes included one girl each in the butterfly, breast stroke and back stroke and two girls in the free style. After the games, very few athletes returned to Ecuador, which is a small country having constant border problems with Peru over land. Many came to the U.S. and a few went to Europe.

Blanca's husband, Jose, had family in Ann Arbor and they came here. Jose has worked for Ford Motor Company for many years. Their son, Jose, is a captain in the U.S. Air Force; James is an ex-Marine, who is employed at Murray's; Jerry is manager of the Canton Cinema and an auxiliary police officer in Plymouth, and Jennifer attends Michigan State University where she is a member of the ROTC.

By going to visit sons overseas, Blanca has seen Japan, South Korea and England. She's also traveled to Canada and all over the United States. She received her deep sea diving certificate while staying at the Olympic Hotel in South Korea.

With family still in South America, Blanca has accumulated many frequent flyer miles, along with an associate's degree in photography. She crochets huge blankets and enjoys cooking Spanish food. Estofado, which means a stew with meat and spices, is her husband's favorite. She also loves Spanish music. She tapes music at home to use in the classes she teaches at the Summit in Canton and the Wayne Aquatic Center. Music helps to motivate people, she believes. Blanca plays a Latin beat for her aerobic classes to "pick you up" and soft, relaxing music for her arthritis classes.

Blanca teaches classes in lifeguarding and also works for the Ann Arbor Parks and Rec Department and at Dyer



Blanca Salame

Pool. She choreographs carefully for each class and each movement uses different muscles.

When taking her classes, students can't help but notice the tattoo on her shoulder of her

Olympic medal.

"I love Michigan this much," she says, spreading her arms wide apart. "I go to South America in September when it's beautiful and fresh, but I like all the seasons here in

Michigan."

Her grandchildren, Andrea, Jennifer Blanca and Joshua Jose all swim -- naturally -- and love the water.

See Blanca at the pool -- you can't miss her tattoo!



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U.S. best archers to compete in Canton

The nation's finest archers, joined by some of the best bowmen and women of Europe, will be taking aim for national and preparing for the world championships in Canton next month.

Canton Township has been designated as the "host city" for the National Target Championships which will be conducted in the township beginning August 3.

"We're very proud to be designated as the hosts for such a prominent event," said Michael Gouin, Canton parks and recreation director. "Local and area residents will be able to see some of the nation's and world's topnotch archers."

The tournament is scheduled to begin with a new "Traditional Tournament" for longbow and primitive bow competitors, which will be staged Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 2-3.

The main event will run Monday-Friday (Aug. 4-8) with the U.S. Open Elimination Round, which will be open to U.S. as well as foreign archers, scheduled for Aug. 8.

The National Archery Association of the United States also was recently informed that a 12-member national team of Poland will compete in the 113th United States National Target Championships.

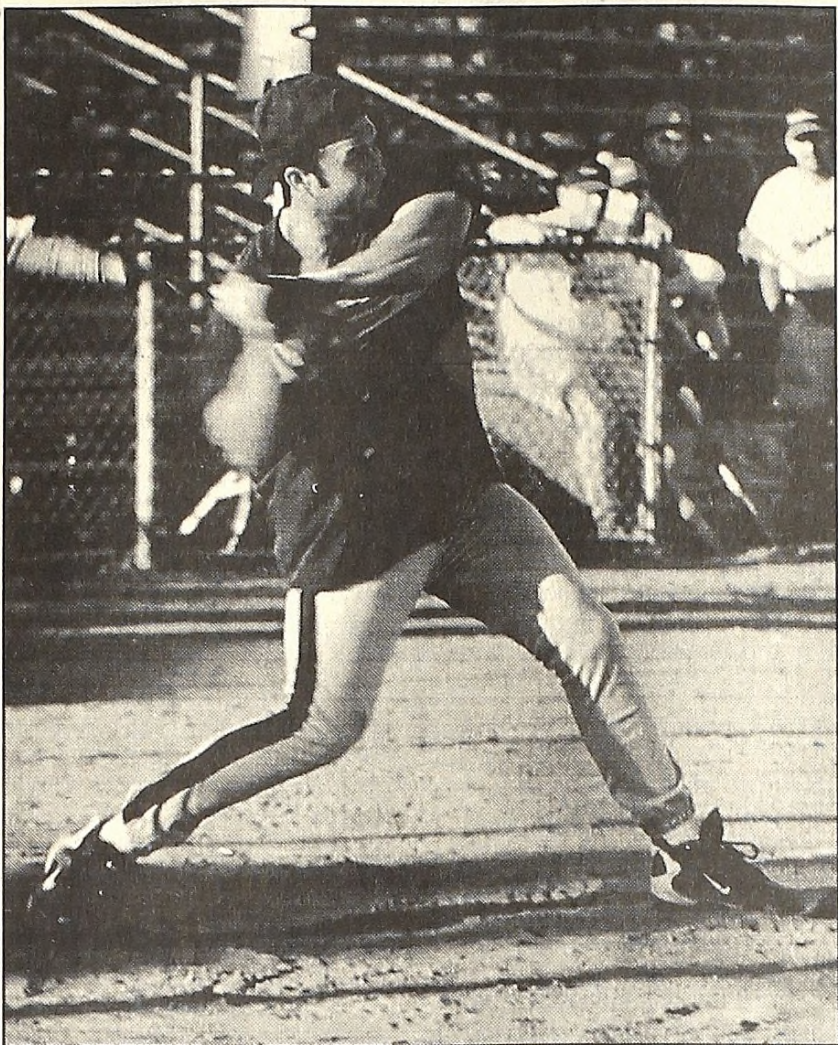
The Polish delegation is made up of five men and seven women, including 16th-ranked Joanna Nowicka.

In a press release to local media, the NAA also acknowledged the participation of three of the top 10 women archers in the world. Canton will see No. 1 ranked Elif Altinkaynak of Turkey, as well as seventh-ranked Alison Williamson of Great Britain, and 10th ranked Elena Sadovnycha of the Ukraine compete.

Other countries which have announced that they will participate in the U. S. National Championships include South Africa, Canada, the Philippines, Lebanon, Estonia and Norway.

The National Target Championships have recently been added to the list of events which qualify archers for world rankings. That announcement came in April from the Federation de Tir a l'Arch (FITA), which publishes world archery rankings.

The U. S. National Target Championships will preclude the XXXIX World Target Championships in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada scheduled for Aug. 14-23.



Westland slugger Scott Hille (above) had a field day during the Worth Power Tour Home Run Derby in Wisconsin where he was a finalist in the championship round. Hille is expected to play a prominent role in Jimmie's/Easton's bid for a second straight Anderson Tournament Title when 19 outstanding men's slowpitch teams get together in Wayne during the weekend of July 18 to decide the 21st annual championships. MCN Special Photo

Legendary Wayne grid star among 3 'Hall' inductees

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Legendary Wayne High football star Tony Drager is among three former athletes who will be inducted into the Wayne-Westland Athletic Hall of Fame later this month.

The durable Drager, who played on defense as well as offense, was one of the leading high school players in the state during the early 1920s. He went on to star for the University of Detroit.

"He's legendary," said Bill Sexton, publicist for the local Hall of Fame, commenting on the newest "Hall" inductee. "During his time, Tony was considered one of the best all-around football players in the state."

Two other notable athletes will join Drager in the Hall. They are former stars who turned to coaching Kim Poteau and Larry Quartuccio.

Poteau, also a Wayne Memorial alumnus, was a standout in volleyball at Wayne who went on to earn recognition as a "blue chip" collegiate player with Western Michigan University's volleyball team. Poteau also became a renowned

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- Bill Sexton

high school coach. Her teams have won state titles.

Quartuccio, noted for his athletic as well as organizational skills, is a major class softball team manager whose efforts helped organize the Patrolman Leonard J. Anderson Memorial Softball Tournament 20 years ago.

Recently transferred south by his corporation, Quartuccio continues to keep his hand on the pulse of sports in the local communities and remains the manager for the Jimmie's/Easton team, the defending

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Westland slugger shows awesome long-ball power

Westland slugger Scott Hille electrified a crowd of softball fans gathered for the Worth Power Tour Home Run Derby in Wisconsin over the weekend as he unleashed a string of home runs that lifted him into the finals of the derby.

Hille, who plays for Jimmie's/Easton of Westland, hammered 11 of 14 balls over the fence to qualify for the finals of the derby staged before an estimated crowd of 2,000 fans gathered at Wilson Park Stadium.

"Scotty is a very tough competitor," said Jimmie's/Easton manager Larry Quartuccio. "And he was one of the hottest hitters in this tournament. But he ran up against Doug Brown, who also was clearing the left

"Scotty is a very tough competitor. And he was one of the hottest hitters in this tournament."

- Larry Quartuccio

field fence with his swings."

Brown, a 6-5, 260-pound athlete who hails from Greer, South Carolina, had to beat a former Westland John Glenn baseball star, Chris Scheffer, to reach the championship round. Scheffer made Brown sweat before losing in the

semifinals to the champ.

In the finals, Brown smacked his first five out of the park and wrapped up the title, while Hille connected on only one of his first four chances and finished with a two of seven.

Westland however did not fare as well as Scheffer or Hille at the invitational where the defending Patrolman Leonard J. Anderson Memorial Tournament champs won only two of their four games and finished in the middle of the pack.

"We are going to have to go back to the basics if we want to successfully defend our title," said Quartuccio.

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Change of venue CMU to host girls' state hoop final

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

There will be a change of venue for the Michigan High School girls' state basketball championships.

Instead of traveling to the Kellogg Arena in Battle Creek, the site of the championships for the past seven years, teams will gather in Mt. Pleasant and play for the coveted state titles at Central Michigan University.

CMU has been designated as the host school for the 1997 championships, the Michigan High School Athletic Association announced this week. The school also will host the finals next year.

The change was recom-

mended by the MHSAA's Basketball Committee, which noted that coaches and school officials felt it was time for a change.

"Battle Creek has been an outstanding host of the girls' basketball finals for the past seven years, but the basketball committee felt that other venues offered behind the scenes facilities which were superior," said Nate Hampton, MHSAA assistant director.

"Central Michigan University provides those facilities, and a proven history as a fine tournament site for the MHSAA in boys basketball, football and baseball."

Another key requirement that the MHSAA adopted during its recent meeting pertains

to eligibility lists which schools are required to exchange during the regular season.

Traditionally, schools have exchanged eligibility lists for all competitions. However, the new ruling will require a school to keep a current eligibility list on file to provide upon request by opponents, and still submit a list upon entering MHSAA tournaments.

Here's Jack Roberts, MHSAA executive director, to explain: "Schools requested this change, which would significantly reduce paperwork for athletic administrators. Opposing schools can still request current eligibility lists, so the integrity of the process should remain high."

Undefeated Westland crowns softball queen

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

After what they accomplished during the regular season, Prudential Pickering definitely is the No. 1 pick and seed in the Westland Women's Softball League playoffs.

Prudential has strung together 18 consecutive victories during the regular softball season and was crowned the Tuesday Night divisional champion.

"They have an excellent team and definitely will go into the playoffs this week as the No. 1 seed," noted Bob Kosowski, softball supervisor.

Six games back is Amantea, a long-shot in the playoffs.

In the meantime, Dependable Transportation swept a

pair of games from then second-place Prudential's to climb to the top of the standings in the Men's Class B Division. The league-leaders have a 14-2 won-lost ratio, while Prudential slipped into third place and entered the week boasting a 10-4 overall record.

Sandwiched between the league-leader and Prudential is Beaver Creek Tool, a team that could surprise the field when the playoffs begin.

In the North Division title race where it's also too close to class, Bos Construction and Remax Crossroads are tied for first place. Each has a 10-2 record. Breathing down their collective necks are two capable challengers, Don Thomas and Gracie's Lounge, which have 9-5 records.

Also too close to call is the title race in the Men's Class C East Division where State Farm enjoys a half-game edge (11-3) over its closest rivals, Beaver Creek 1 and Prudential Pickering, which are seated in second with 10-3 records.

Upsets highlighted the week of action in the Romulus Softball Leagues. Nik's Bar turned back D & R Auto Parts 11-8 in the Friday Men's Blue Division. In the Blue Division, B. W. Raiders, came up on the short end of a 20-13 decision with Udders.

Playhouse survived a slugfest with Metro Athletics, 20-15, in the Men's Monday/Wednesday League, and C.B. M. topped Stilawrence 17-14 in their duel in the Friday Night Men's Blue Division.

Washington-bound Wayne karate team seeks gold

A local karate team will be traveling to the nation's capital this weekend in search of gold.

Wayne-based KICKS Tae Kwon Do and Fitness Centers' kickers are also on a mission, according to Ronald Rose, KICKS owner and senior master. Wayne kickers will be competing in a national tournament.

"We have students from six to 61 representing Wayne and the surrounding communities," Rose stressed. "They have all been working very hard preparing for this tournament."

Rose pointed out that there will be a cadre of high-ranking officials and dignitaries from Korea and America as well as different parts of the world at the

competition viewing the action and the participants.

"This is a very prestigious event, and I expect good things from our team members," Rose offered.

Rose's 30 athletes will be competing in the "Father of Tae Kwon Do championships", named in honor of Tae Kwon Do-Great Grandmaster, Won Kuk Lee, who, at 90-something, will not only be present but will be giving a seminar and later be available for photos.

The tournament will be staged on July 12 in Washington D. C.

Rose started his school of karate in Wayne, known as KICKS, some 20 years ago. The school has graduated some of the most skilled athletes who have gone on to

win national and international recognition in the sport since 1977. Among those who have graduated from the KICKS' school is alumnus Sharon Hough, a petite master of the art in the flyweight division who later earned a spot on the USA Team.

Also, Brandon Moore, who captained the KICKS Team, represented the local contingent and the USA in Hanoi, Vietnam last year where he earned a bronze medal competing against the best the world had to offer.

Paul Rose, the instructor's son, who is also a staff instructor and KICKS Team head coach, has captured

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Wayne's Paul Rose (above, foreground) displays the form that helped him win gold medals in karate in state competition for the past 10 years. Rose will be one of 30 members of the KICKS' team that will be traveling to Washington this weekend to compete in the Tae Kwon Do national championships. MCN Special Photo

Karate

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double gold medals in state competition for the last 10 years consecutively, as well as finishing with gold, silver and bronze medals in national competition.

Also Paul Rose and Brandon will represent the USA again in Washington on July 13 when the 5th World Chung Do Kwon championships are staged. Students representing the USA, Korea, Singapore, Puerto Rico, England, Argentina and Hong Kong will demonstrate their technique, awesome power and skill during this prestigious event.

Tae Kwon Do is an Olympic sport now, but as such it incorporates only one facet of Tae Kwon Do. Those who aspire to

excel in the sport reap the benefits of learning the art of self-defense, discipline, physical fitness and also the enjoyment of a healthy lifestyle, according to Rose.

Rose is a member of the organizing committee which also includes such notable scholars of the sport as Master Bruce Twing (Vermont) and Master Jeffrey Holsing (Virginia).

Master Christine Rose is head of the Women's Team for the World Championships. Referees include Herbert Klimach and Bruce Lewke, from KICKS' staff. The coaches are Tanya Kjellin, also a featherweight alternate for the USA Team; Brandon Moore, middleweight USA Team; Paul Rose, lightweight USA Team, and David Moutardier, who also is an alternate for the USA Team in the bantam weight class.

Hall

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Anderson Tournament champ.

The Westlanders also have qualified to compete for the 1997 Class A World Series which will be staged later this

year in Dallas, Texas.

The three candidates will be formally installed in the local Hall of Fame during ceremonies scheduled for 7 p.m. on July 17 at Jake's Again Lounge, located on Wayne Road, a block north of Michigan Avenue.



Dallas-bound

Westland's Jimmies/Easton captured a berth in the United States Slow-Pitch Association's World Series and will be traveling to Dallas, Texas to compete for the coveted title. Managed by former Westland resident, Larry Quartuccio, (second row, second from right), Jimmies/Easton also will place its Anderson Tournament title on the block when the 21st annual invitational is staged in Wayne on July 18. Nineteen topnotch men's teams have accepted the invitation to compete in the tournament which will be staged on diamonds behind the Wayne Parks and Recreation, Howe and Annapolis roads. MCN Special Photo

Slugger

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Quartuccio and Jimmie's/Easton will be in Wayne on July 18 through July 20 to defend the Anderson Tournament title. A field of 18 teams will gather on the Anderson softball diamonds (behind the city of Wayne's Community Center on Howe and Annapolis roads) to compete in the 21st annual tournament.

Jimmie's/Easton, managed by Quartuccio, is ranked 14th nationally by the United States

Slopitch Softball Association in Class A and is rated as the No. 3 team in the Great Lakes Region.

Among teams that have accepted the invitation to compete in the Anderson tournament include Plumbers & Pipefitters of Lansing, the United States Slo-Pitch Softball Association's 1995 and 1996 Class A World Series champs.

Other ranked teams that will be playing to unseat Jimmie's/Easton include Gaylan Trading/Coke Cola, a team out of Indianapolis, as well as Prestige/Bill Corp., one of the

top Class B teams in the state of Michigan. The team has qualified for the Class B World Series. The 1997 entries also include: Bandits/Gekle (Lansing), Blarney Bay (Westland), Charles Too (Livonia), Hitman (Wayne), Humps (Northville), Ice-O-Matic/TPS (Novi), Journeyman/Noels Services (Toledo), J & K Transportation (Garden City), Metro Glass and Mirror (Westland), Midas Muffler (Dearborn Heights), Little Bills (Garden City), O'Malley/K-Images (Monroe), Perfection Plus Landscaping (Dearborn), Prestige/Bill Corp. (Sterling Heights) and Showtime (Southfield).

Softball standings

CANTON		
Red Division		
Team	Won	Lost
1st Place Bar	10	0
Pogo's	8	2
Mark's	7	3
Mobility	4	6
Shark Club II	4	6
Remax	2	8
Target	2	8
Don Coleman	2	8

WHITE DIVISION		
Team	Won	Lost
Fiesta	8	2
Shark 1	8	2
Shark 2	7	3
ASAP	7	3
Beaver	6	4
Yazaki	2	8
Falcons	1	9
Rusty Nail	1	9

GREEN DIVISION		
Team	Won	Lost
Fairway	7	1
Prudential	6	2
Ancor	5	4
Diplomats	5	4
Michaels	4	4
Greenfield	4	4
Bad Influe.	2	7
Michael 2	1	8

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Team	Won	Lost
Larry's	12	0
Red Spot	10	4
Bulldogs	8	4
Blackhawks	7	5
Z-Mart	6	6
Steelers	5	7
Mike's	4	6
Sooners	4	6
Porath's	2	12

BLUE Division		
Team	Won	Lost
St. Lawrence	5	1
C.B.M.	5	1
Raiders	4	2
Kerr's	4	3
Udders	2	4
Algers	2	4
Form Flow	2	5
CLS	1	5

WOMEN'S DIVISION		
Team	Won	Lost
Northwest	7	1
Tapco	4	3
Rudgate	2	5
Express	1	5

Mon/Wed		
Team	Won	Lost
Playhouse	12	0
Metro	9	2
Furies	8	3
Lakeview	7	5
Saval's	5	7
Firefighters	2	9
R & H	2	10
Rat Salad	1	10

Red Division		
Team	Won	Lost
Fillin's	6	0
Midax	6	1
D & R Auto	5	2
Rudgate	4	3
Kemp's	4	5
Nik's	2	5
Johnson's	2	6
Northwest	1	6

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High school basketball players who want to improve their skills before the season begins may want to participate in the annual Madonna University camp.

The Madonna athletic staff announced this week that they will offer two sessions of girls' summer basketball camps this month.

The first of the two will be held for grades 10-12 beginning on July 21 and will culminate on July 25.

The second session, for those who are in grades seventh-through-ninth, will be staged from July 28 until Aug. 1.

All camps are scheduled to start at 9 a.m. and will end at 3 p.m. They will be conducted at the university in the sports arena located at 36600 Schoolcraft Road in Livonia.

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THANK YOU for the beautiful memories! May God bless you through the years for your expression of kindness and love. Lawrence and Dorothy Hurst, June 20, 1997

6. Legals Notices

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Ronnie Jones and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1640A Cert. #00034

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 70022990002700 PT OF SE 1/4 OF SEC 7 T4SR10E BEG N89DEG 36M 50S W 539.46FT FROM THE E 1/4 COR OF SAID TH S39DEG 47M 50S W 3231.63FT TH N 00D 40M 49S W 154.05FT TH N 39D 47M 50S E 3032.27 FT TH S 89D 36M 50S E 129.43FT TO POB 7.19AC

Property Address: Vacant on King Rd., Brownstown Twp.

Amount Paid: \$3,571.40 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$5,362.10 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PJR

Special, Inc.
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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Mark and Mary Beach and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1644 Cert. #00209

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 70171020082000 JOEL A LABO'S SILVER CREEK SUB T5S R10E L41 P20 WCR LOTS 82 83 AND 84

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 35805 Alger St., Brownstown Twp.

Amount Paid: \$2,031.57 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,052.36 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Primeco, Inc.
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West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Pritpal S. Sidhu and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1732B Cert. #05031

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44002010616002 GRAND VIEW GARDENS SUB NO. 1 T2S R9E L47 P45 WCR E 1/2 OF LOT 616 ALSO LOT 617

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$1,672.45 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,513.68 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

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West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Gwendolyn House and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1759A Cert. #05367

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 80068010027001 SUPERVISORS ROMULUS PLAT NO. 3 T3S R9E L65 WCR E 85 FT OF S 150 OF LOT 27

Property Address: 35220 Goddard, Romulus.

Amount Paid: \$2,261.99 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,397.99 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PCSI, Inc.
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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Mark Oman, Dianne Williams, James and Joann Post and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1883 Cert. #08737

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44010060746000 WOLVERINE TRACTOR SUB T2S R9E L38 P34 WCR LOT 746

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 3257 Hamson, Inkster.

Amount Paid: \$1,425.91 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,143.87 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Jerry and Anna Lee and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1854B Cert. #07595

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Property Address: 35220 Goddard, Romulus.

Amount Paid: \$2,261.99 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,397.99 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 81080990022000 THE E 5.0 ACRES OF THE W 20.0 ACRES OF THE E 30.0 ACRES OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF SEC 20 5.00 AC

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 47554 Willow, Belleville.

Amount Paid: \$3,691.04, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$5,541.56 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Capspec, Inc.
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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Lawrence Boes, Alfonso and Nora Vena and unknown, unascertained,

mons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 56004020209000 RE SUB OF DEARNAN PARK T2S R9E L51 P62 WCR LOTS 209 AND 210

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 7409 Cavell, Westland.

Amount Paid: \$1,162.90 taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$1,749.35 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for HR Holdings, Co.
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West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Eddie Gill, Mark and Laura Watkins, Juanita Franklin and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1659 Cert. #01309

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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TO: Lawrence Boes, Alfonso and Nora Vena and unknown, unascertained,

undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1670 Cert. #02295

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 33042020011000 POWER AND KERWINS SUB T2S R10E L43 P16 WCR LOT 11

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 4039 S. Beech, Dearborn Heights.

Amount Paid: \$2,175.27, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$3,267.91 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Capspec, Inc.
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West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Guaranty Federal Savings and Loan and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1678D Cert. #02927

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 41382800162000 JOHN M DWYERS SUB L10 P24 WCR LOT 162

This is an improved residential property. **Property Address:** 3018 Belmont, Hamtramck

Amount Paid: \$1,375.88, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,068.82 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Holdco, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Ann Gjakaj and unknown, unascertained, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their

sion of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 58098990019002 PT OF SE 1/4 SEC 32 T4S R10E BEG S89DEG 37M 40S W 33FT AND NODEG 28M 47

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 45003080677000 ELMWOOD PARK NO. 2 SUB PC 524 119 P49 WCR LOT 677

This is an improved residential property. Property Address: 1303 Paris, Lincoln Park.

Amount Paid: \$1,201.32, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$1,806.98 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PCSI, Inc.

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Amy Esther, Masucci and unknown, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1838 Cert. #07481

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 45003080677000 ELMWOOD PARK NO. 2 SUB PC 524 119 P49 WCR LOT 677

tion of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of \$5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 80044010312000 ECORSE CITY COMMUNITY SUB T3S R9E L56 P39, 40 WCR LOTS 312,313 AND 314

This is an improved residential property. Property Address: 7370 Middlebelt, Romulus.

Amount Paid: \$1,345.46, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,023.19 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Exaction Inc. and unknown, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1840A Cert. #07494

Amount Paid: \$1,346.40, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,024.60 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 56073030435000 NORWAYNE SUB NO. 3 T2S R9E L75 P87 TO 89 WCR LOT 435

This is an improved residential property. Property Address: 32517 Newaygo, Westland.

Amount Paid: \$1,346.40, taxes for 1992

Amount necessary to redeem: \$2,024.60 Plus fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PCSI, Inc. 1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: Dianne Morgan and Darlene Keywood and unknown, unascertained, undetermined, unborn heirs, devisees, legatees, and assignees, including those who are legally incompetent to act on their own behalf, said individuals being persons indicated to have some interest in the land herewith described according to Wayne County Records. Deed #1840A Cert. #07494

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Amount Paid: \$1,038.45, taxes for 1992

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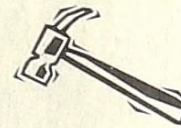


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Wick, next to McDonald's)
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and laborers. Reliable &
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afraid of hard work. W.
Bloomfield & Novi area.
Good pay & benefits. 313-
783-1540.

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ELECTRICIAN/ HANDYMAN

*Remodeling
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24 HR. EMERGENCY
RICK
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HOME TYPIST PC users
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4343 Ext B-2597.

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Grooming Shop in excel-
lent Westland/Canton area
for sale. Owner retiring.
Excellent business
opportunity. Call Terry at
722-6340.

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AKC CHINESE Shar Pei, 6
months, male, red, \$100.
Poke-a-poo puppies,
males and females, shots
and wormed. 941-0535.

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BURD, DONALD
CARTER, BERRARDO
CATHERS, MARY
ERVER, VELMA
FELKER, CAROL ANN
FELKER, HERBERT
KATCHER, WILLIAM M.
KNUTSON, FLORENCE
KOROW, DORIS M.
LARSON, MARY
LUTZ, PETER PAUL
MILLER, CHARLES L.
PETRONE, CLARA M.
RANSAW, MILTON
REYNOLDS, EILEEN
SIMS, NINA M.
TAMM, ELLEN
TOOLEY, CLARENCE
VETOR, KENNETH
WARD, PEARLIE
WASHINGTON, ALBERTA

of William V. and the late
Marvonne. Also survived
by 2 sisters. Services were
held July 5 at Harry J. Will
Funeral Home-Lents
Chapel.

KNUTSON, FLORENCE
Age 90, of Scottsdale, AZ
(formerly of Wayne),
passed away June 28, 1997.
Beloved wife of the late
Marval. Dear mother of
Kenton, John, Barbara and
Kay Hage. Also survived
by 1 brother, 2 sisters, 5
grandchildren and 5 great
grandchildren. Services
were held July 2 at First
Presbyterian Church of
Wayne with interment at
Washtenaw Memorial
Park. Arrangements by
Uht Funeral Home.

KOROW, DORIS M.
Age 65, of Garden City,
passed away June 29,
1997. Beloved wife of
Joseph. Dear mother of
Sandra Hackett, Dawn
(Kevin) Clark, Randall
(Vicky) and Kurt (Kymm).
Also survived by 2 sisters,
1 brother and 7
grandchildren. Services
were held July 2 at Ver-
meulen Funeral Home with
interment at Parkview
Memorial Cemetery.

LARSON, MARY
Age 73, of Canton, passed
away June 27, 1997. Dear
wife of the late Melvin.
Loving mother of Larry
Pugh, Bill Nugent, Doris
Malchie and Charlotte
Day. Also survived by 8
grandchildren and 4 great
grandchildren. Visitation
was held June 30 at Uht
Funeral Home. Cremation
rites were accorded.

LUTZ, PETER PAUL
Age 81, of Wayne, passed
away July 1, 1997. Loving
brother of Celia Harju and
Bookie Urbick. Dear friend
of Ruth Jones. Also sur-
vived by many nieces and
nephews. Visitation was
held July 2 at Uht Funeral
Home. Cremation rites
were accorded.

MILLER, CHARLES L.
Age 54, of Canton, passed
away July 1, 1997. Be-
loved husband of Carol
Miller. Dear father of Dar-
cie Anne and Megan.
Loving son of Jane Miller.
Also survived by 1 sister.
Services were held July 5
at Vermeulen Trust 100
Funeral Home. Cremation
rites were accorded.

PETRONE, CLARA M.
Age 83, of Plymouth, pas-
sed away July 5, 1997.
Beloved sister of Amelia
Dewstow and Louis
Petrone. Services were
held July 5 at Our Lady
Good Counsel Catholic
Church with interment at
Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.
Arrangements by Ver-
meulen Trust 100 Funeral
Home.

RANSAW, MILTON
Age 69, passed away May
28, 1997. Surviving are 1
brother, 3 sisters and
many friends. Services
were held at Penn Funeral
Home.

REYNOLDS, EILEEN
Age 80, of Westland, pas-
sed away July 1, 1997.
Beloved wife of the late
Charles Robert. Loving
mother of Richard
(Carolyn) Reynolds and
Peggy (Keith) Carter. Also
survived by 4 brothers, 4
sisters, 7 grandchildren
and 6 great grandchildren.
Services were held July 3
at Harry J. Will Funeral
Home with interment at St.
Mary's Cemetery.

SIMS, NINA M.
Age 62, passed away May
29, 1997. She leaves be-
hind husband, James,
mother, Margaret, 4
children, 11 grandchildren,
one sister and one brother.
Services were held at
Penn Funeral Home.

TAMM, ELLEN
Age 59, of Inkster, passed
away June 29, 1997.
Beloved mother of Cheryl,
Bobby, Mark, Danny, and
Tammy. Dear daughter of
Irene Vagts. Sister of Jer-
ry Vagts, Diane Fredrick,
Carol Shaw, and Paul
Vagts. Also survived by 5
grandchildren. Services
were held July 2 at Howe-
Peterson Funeral Home.
Cremation rites were
accorded.

TOOLEY, CLARENCE
Age 81, of Wayne, passed
away June 20, 1997.
Beloved husband of the
late Ida. Dear father of
Margaret (John) Davis.
Also survived by 1 sister,
2 brothers and 1 grandson.
Services were held June
26 at Uht Funeral Home.
Cremation rites were
accorded.

VETOR, KENNETH
Age 79, of Canton, passed
away July 6, 1997.
Beloved father of Carolyn
Beaufort, K. Dennis and
Robert. Also survived by 3
sisters, 2 brothers, 7
grandchildren and 1 great
grandchild. Dear friend of
Ethel Webster. Services
were held July 8 at Uht
Funeral Home with inter-
ment at Sheldon
Cemetery.

WARD, PEARLIE
Age 56, passed away May
27, 1997. The memory will
be cherished by three
children, two
granddaughters, one great
granddaughter, her
mother, Velma Ellis, seven
sisters and seven
brothers. Services were
held at Greater Grace
Temple. Arrangements by
Penn Funeral Home.

WASHINGTON, ALBERTA
Age 72, passed away
June 1, 1997. Beloved
mother of Henry,
Rosemary, Frankie and
Chester. Also survived by
6 sisters, 1 brother, 11
grandchildren and 15
great grandchildren. Ser-
vices were held at St. John
Missionary Baptist Church.
Arrangements by Penn
Funeral Home.

Classified

CLASSIFIED DEADLINES

THURSDAY EDITION: 2:00 p.m. Tuesday

SUNDAY EDITION: 2:00 p.m. Friday

729-3300



July 10 1997

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57. Antiques

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1 MILE EAST OF VAN DYKE
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ADMISSION \$4 1.800.653.6466

59. Auctions

FARM AUCTION

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1997
12:00 NOON

Located at 6823 Cherry Hill Road, Plymouth, Michigan, Superior Township. From U.S.-23, Just North of Ann Arbor, Michigan, take Exit #41, Plymouth Rd. Exit, go east 3 miles to yellow blinker in the small village of Dixboro. Turn right (south) on Cherry Hill, go 1/2-mile to sale. From Ypsilanti, Michigan, take Michigan Avenue to Prospect Road north of Prospect to Cherry Hill Road, 1.1 miles to sale.

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Saturday, July 19 at 11 A.M.

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Tractor & Loader on site. There is plenty of shade. There will be an admission fee to enter. Door prize drawings at auction. Come and spend the afternoon with us at the auction or tractor show.

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10 HP Air Compressor
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Wheelbarrow
Storage Cabinets
Office Chairs
3 Gas Air Compressors
Cut Off Saw
Sears Band Saw
Work Benches
Leaf Catcher for Ford Tractor
Hand Tools
Tug & 4 Wheel Trailers

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55. Riding Horses Stables

MINIATURE HORSES registered 32" Palomino Mare, 3 yrs. old, \$1,000. Registered 3 yr. old Flying W Farms grey stallion. Excellent show quality, \$2,000. 697-8969

REG. APPALOOSA mare, Bay Roan with spots, 15.3 hands, started under saddle, 8 yrs. old. Checked in foal to "Star J" for a Feb '98 foal. Many wins and high points in Halter and showmanship. Impressive/Mighty Tim granddaughter. HYPP N/N, \$4,000, firm. 697-8969

REG. BLACK Arab gelding, 3 yrs. old, 15 hands. Ready to be started under saddle, very willing to learn, \$1,000, firm. 697-8969

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Lloyd R. Braun
(313) 665-9646
Jerry L. Helmer
(313) 994-6309

60. Misc. Sales

BELLEVILLE MANOR Community Garage Sale, Belleville Rd (btwn Ecorse & Tyler Rds), July 11, 12, 13, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

FIVE FAMILY yard sale, July 10-11-12, 47134 Lauren Ct., (off Elwell Rd.) Belleville.

GARAGE SALE, 5328 S. Wayne Rd, Wayne, btwn. Annapolis & Van Born, July 10-12, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

MOVING SALE, 8 piece complete queen bedroom suite, washer, dryer, stove, refrigerator, 2 air conditioners and other items. 313-326-9386.

MOVING SALE, 36816 Thimbark, Wayne, July 10-11-12, 9-4. Something for everyone.

61. Misc. Items

1" DIAMETER utility PVC plastic pipe, about 75' to 100', \$25. Call 729-1615

AIR CONDITIONER 7500 BTU, \$135. Childs rocking horse, \$15. Aerobic fitness cycle, like new, \$50. Mens bike, \$15. Humidifier, \$10. Dehumidifier, like new, \$80. Sears 7-1 1/2 HP circular saw, \$50. Love seat and chair, \$100. New car ramps, \$17. Call 467-1878

ANTIQUE BLUE Mason jars - pints, quarts and half gallons, some with zinc lids. Call 721-6878

BATMAN WALL wrist watch, AA battery operated, \$25. Two antique brass finish table lamps w/shades, 3-way, \$25. Hurricane style oil lamp, 20" glass w/antique brass burner, new w/scented oil, \$15. Jatter telephone answering machine, \$10. Ten board games, \$5. Polaroid instant picture camera, Square Shooter, \$10. Hoover upright vacuum, \$12. 1918 NYCS railroad lantern, candle power, needs restoration, \$30. Quaser 10 in. color TV, \$35. 100 records and player, \$30. Maxwell audio cassette, 90 min, 25 pcs, \$15. 425-8365

BLACK SIMULATED marble entertainment center, \$50. Window guards for Ford Ranger, \$15. Tonneau cover for Ford Ranger, \$75. Fast Trac exerciser, \$100. All are in very good condition. Call 729-0464

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BRIDAL VEIL new, never worn. 595-6593 (Dee)

BUNK BEDS red metal frames w/mattresses, \$95. Call 313-941-1533.

COMPUTER, ZEOS 486SX, 8 meg Ram sound card with speakers, Hitachi CD drive 33.6 phone modem, video display-Diamond Speedstar, Windows 3.11, MS-DOS 6.2. Keyboard, mouse, monitor and some software all for \$600 ask Joe 728-2007

DAY BED, white with brass, complete with mattresses and pop-up trundle. New in box cost \$800, sell for \$300. 810-691-4468.

DINING ROOM table, 2 leaves, 4 chairs, \$450. Two arm chairs available at \$50 each. Prices are negotiable. 697-9380

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER like new, \$40. Call 595-0272

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, one computer desk, two chairs, swivel and rocker recliner, kitchen table, TV antenna, air hockey game. Joe Baldrice, 36465 Glenwood, Wayne.

ESTATE THREE cycle washer, \$65. Dog house, like new, \$65. 563-5504

G. E. 19.7 cu. ft. frost free almond refrigerator, very good and clean condition, \$250. Call 941-6161

G. E. ELECTRIC stove with self cleaning oven, white, good condition, very clean, \$125. Call 941-6161

HOT WATER heater, Bradford, white, 50 gallons, LP gas, like new, less than one year old, paid \$350 will sell for \$150. Call 697-4966

K E N M O R E REFRIGERATOR runs good, harvest gold, \$50. Call 941-4907

LOMART ONE horse sand filter and pump, 2 yrs., old, new solar cover, 21" submergible pump vacuum, skimmer and all hoses and parts, \$200. 721-5167

MAPLE DINING room table, 2 leafs, 4 captain chairs, \$250. Bedroom set, \$150. 729-2582

MCDONALD BEENIE Babies in the bag! \$10.00 a piece. Call Mona at 729-1719 or Toni at 397-9745

MULTISTITCH JEANS sewing machine, \$50. Roller skates, \$7. 299-0259

OPOSSUM REVERSIBLE fur coat, full length, size 12, \$300. Blue fox jacket fur, size 12, \$300, 699-7318

POLOROID INSTANT Picture camera, Square Shooter, \$10. Two table lamps, antique brass finish, 3-way w/shades, \$25. Electro Voice soundcaster portable suitcase style speakers, 8" PA style, pair \$45. Hurricane style oil lamp, 20" glass with antique brass burner, new with scented oils, \$15. Auto spray gun, can be used with paint and other liquids, \$15. Granny Squares Afghan, 58x78, \$30. Hoover upright vacuum, \$12. Fish tank complete, 10 gal, \$30. 425-8365

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WHITE SPEED Queen H/D washer and gas dryer, barely used, \$300 for the pair. Call 699-9432

WOODEN HIGH chair, \$20. Living room chair, \$10. Umbrella stroller, \$5. Exercise bike, \$25. Singer sewing machine, wooden case, \$69. 397-9422

WURLITZER ORGAN, like new, \$500. China cupboard, large, good cond., \$300. Three wheel adult bicycle, good cond., \$100. Swivel rocker chair, good cond., \$35. Toshiba microwave, \$20. Table, \$10, lamp, \$5. Sing-along with radio, \$50 OBO. 7 1/2 90" golden sofa, also love seat, \$150. 721-4382

82. Wanted to Buy

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64. Lawn & Garden Supplies

BLACK & DECKER electric edger and weed wacker, both \$35. Sun-beam electric mower, \$30. Flower pots/planters, approx. 8"x36", 18 pcs., some wood, all \$35. 313-422-2061.

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72. Machinery & Tools

5 HP Briggs & Stratton engine, brand new, horizontal shaft. It can be used for an air compressor, log splitter, go-kart, Jr. dragster, snow blower or rototiller. Cost new \$300, sell for \$125 or best offer, 728-1735

75. Boats & Accessories

15 FT. boat with Evenrude motor, best offer. 422-1582

16' SCHWILL Day Sailer with cuddly cabin, 7.5 h.p. Mercury outboard, tilt trailer, \$1,250. 728-6856

1994 SEADOO low hrs, adult owned, excellent condition, custom paint job, \$4,000, 699-7318

1996 SEADOO GTX, 11 hrs., mint, \$6,500. 1995 Polaris SL 750, 6 hrs., mint, \$4,400. 422-0455

BOAT HARD top-beige, for pontoon boat. \$200. 699-7318.

77. Recreational Vehicles

1976 T.T. Empire, 17 ft., sleeps six, very nice condition, \$1,550 or best. 593-1126

1983 COACHMAN 17 ft., very good condition, sleeps six, awning, full bath, \$3,500 or best offer, 467-4851

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326-7800

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96. Houses for Rent

HOUSE FOR RENT, on 3 acres, private, quiet, dead end road in Romulus near I-94 & 275. Four BR, 2 car garage, ready Aug. 15. \$750/mo. References. 728-7685.

INKSTER, 2 BR, basement, utility room, dining room, newly remodeled, spacious, fenced yard. \$500.

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TAYLOR, 3 BR, garage, all appliances, carpet, utility room, spacious, fenced yard. \$600.

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WESTLAND, 2 BR, central air, utility room, newly remodeled, fenced yard, option to buy. \$550.

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100. Will Share

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105. Mobile Homes for Sale

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106. Houses for Sale

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113. Real Estate Wanted

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1970 DODGE Monaco 383, auto trans, runs, for parts or restoration, \$500 or best offer, 728-6237

1981 OLDSMOBILE Cutlass Supreme, moonroof, all power, runs great, \$500 or best. (313) 461-1943

1984 1/2 FORD Mustang GT, 46,000 original miles, no winters, \$4,500 or best offer. 326-7014

1984 CADILLAC Sedan DeVille, 82,000 miles, leather, many new parts, excellent transportation. \$475. 248-374-0639, before 9pm.

1984 CADILLAC, 78,000 original miles. One owner. Good transportation. \$2,500 or best. 313-728-9468.

1985 MERCURY Cougar, loaded, carb needs adjusting, \$1,000. Call Greg at 697-4063, leave message.

1986 COUGAR V6, auto, air, P.S., P.B., tilt, cruise, P.W., P.S., am/fm cassette with equalizer, runs good, \$1,975 or best, will take trade. 467-8564

1986 OLDSMOBILE Cutlass, AM/FM stereo cassette, new tires, A/C, new battery, tinted windows and sunroof, \$900 firm. Call (313) 282-0890, leave a message on the machine if not home.

1988 BUICK Century, 4 dr., 14,344 miles, best offer. 422-1582

1988 DODGE Daytona hatchback, new alternator, front suspension, timing belt, 92,000 miles, \$2,500 or best offer, 697-8551

1988 FORD Escort GT, black, rebuilt engine, runs and looks great, \$2,200 or best offer. Call 699-4863 or 697-3401

1988 FORD Escort, 2 dr., 4 cylinder, dependable transportation, \$725. Voice mail: 274-7785 or 941-2188

1991 MERCURY Tracer Station Wagon, auto A/C, loaded, new tires, excellent condition, \$3,650. 565-5054

1992 CUTLASS Supreme S, dark burgundy, 4 dr., 1 owner, 38,000 miles, like buying a new one! 2 year warranty. \$59 dn., 20 minute credit approval by phone. OAC.

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1990 GEO Storm, low miles, A/C, AM/FM stereo, some rust, asking \$2,500. 697-0446

1991 CHEVY Corsica GT, loaded, air, cruise, automatic, V6, power windows/locks, AM/FM cassette, well maintained, runs great, 699-4063

1991 DODGE Daytona, 6 cylinder blue, hatchback with moonroof, loaded, excellent condition, low mileage, \$5700 or best offer. 721-2566.

1991 DODGE Daytona, fully loaded, red/gray, new radiator, exhaust, brakes and transmission, runs and looks great, \$5,500. 728-4418

1992 RANGER XLT, ext. cab. 4X4, sharp! \$1800 below black book. Only \$89 dn., 20 minute credit approval by phone. OAC.

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1993 CHRYSLER LeBaron convertible, green with tan top, excellent condition, V6, new tires, 68,000 miles, power everything, auto, (313) 762-5057

1993 EXPLORER XLT, Eddie Bauer, immaculate condition, like buying a new one! 20 minute credit approval by phone. No co-signer needed. OAC.

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1989 CHRYSLER LeBaron convertible, white, runs good, chrome rims, fully loaded, \$1,700 or best. 728-4418

1989 STERLING new master cylinder, new radiator, wheels, new tune up, runs, may need water pump, \$1,650 or best. 491-7059

1993 MERCURY Tracer Wagon LS, all power, loaded, low miles, top shape. (313) 461-9396

1994 GEO Prism, 4 dr., stereo w/CD detachable, \$7,000 or best offer. 697-8360, leave message.

1995 LEBARON convertible, white with black top, 42,000 miles, good condition, \$10,800. 699-7318

1995 PONTIAC Sunfire, red, automatic, dual airbags, 4 door, air, cruise, AM/FM cassette, tilt, charcoal grey cloth interior, 33,600+ miles, mostly highway, (still on manufacturer warranty until 36,000), excellent condition, runs great, \$13,500 or best. 699-1241

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117. Trucks & Vans for Sale

G1986 ASTRO conversion van. Looks good, runs good, aluminum rims, a/c, am/fm cassette, power everything. Interior lights all around. Red and gray. Highway miles. Asking \$2000. 313-842-4556.

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1990 DODGE Ram 150 pickup, V8, automatic, air. Only \$6,990. Dick Genthe Chevrolet, corner of Dix & Eureka, Southgate. 283-3400.

1990 OLDS Toronado Trofeo, black, loaded. Only \$8,997. Dick Genthe Chevrolet, corner of Dix & Eureka, Southgate. 283-3400.

1991 CHEVY Cavalier 224, white, low miles, lots of equipment. \$6,992. Dick Genthe Chevrolet, corner of Dix & Eureka, Southgate. 283-3400.

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1995 CHEVY Monte Carlo LS, purple, 27,000 miles, very clean. Only \$12,990. Dick Genthe Chevrolet, corner of Dix & Eureka, Southgate. 283-3400.

1995 CHEVY Camaro, lots of equipment, 10,000 miles. Only \$13,990. Dick Genthe Chevrolet, corner of Dix & Eureka, Southgate. 283-3400.

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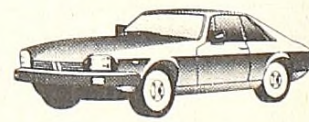
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So, say you simply want to zip around town and turn some heads, then a regular cab 112 inch wheelbase Sport makes for a pretty quick choice. If you plan on hauling around a bunch of friends and a lot of stuff, consider something a little more roomy like the Dakota Club Cab with V8 power.

Off-road? Definitely 4x4, this truck can handle it all. That's the model that I test drove, 4x4 with a V8 engine and the club cab. I logged in with more than 600 miles, and this truck could handle all of the paces that I put it through. Dakota is whatever you want it to be, dependable, powerful, and it makes life a little smoother, and a whole lot more fun along the way.

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Once you step inside the

cabin, you realize just how much space you actually have. Plenty of head and leg room, as well as space in the extended cab. You can fit a load of groceries or a couple of golf bags in the cab with no problem.

Interior wise, the seats are plush and very comfortable, and there is room for up to five people.

Also the visibility is great, you sit up nice and high so that you are aware of everything that is going on around you. The sound quality of the stereo was crisp and clear. It offered plenty of power, and a compact disc player. Even when going over bumps in the road, the CD's did not skip a beat.

Dakota's overhead console offers holding places for sunglasses and a garage door opener. A trip computer including a compass toggles through outside temperature, average fuel economy, "right now" fuel economy, and how far until you'd better get a little gas. Also, all controls and displays are right where you'd put them, clean looking easy to operate and right at your fingertips so you never have to take your eyes off the road.

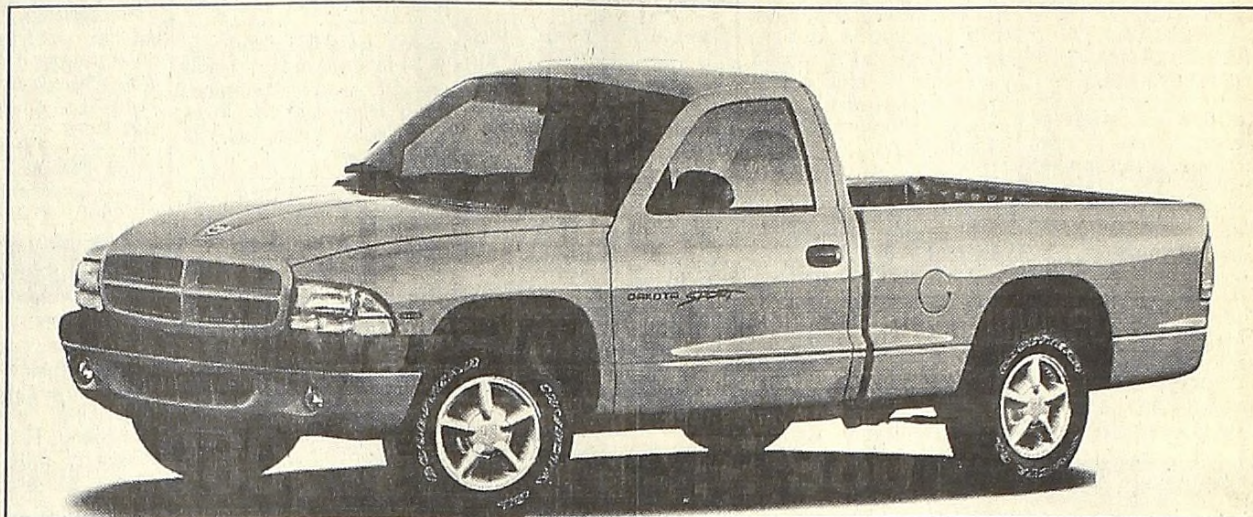
A floor mounted shifter console comes with a manual transmission or 4WD. Depend-

ing on your choice of seat, you'll find a variety of cup holders and a small storage tray for things like all of those extra little ketchups you get at the drive-thru. I neglected to mention that there are eight speakers in six different places and an auxiliary power outlet. This vehicle has everything from soup to nuts.

This truck offers great handling, steering, and a really snappy engine. That's because it is powered by a 5.2 liter V8 that produces 300 lb-ft torque at 3200 rpm's. When you step on the gas, you are gone. The suspension is tight, steering is made real easy and this truck handles any road surface with ease. The only thing that I could find wrong with it was the gas mileage. It was less than perfect, 12 miles per gallon in city driving and 16 miles per gallon on the highway.

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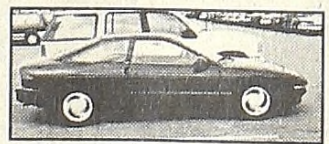
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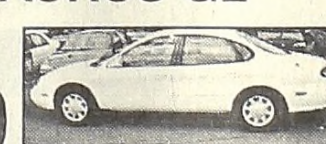
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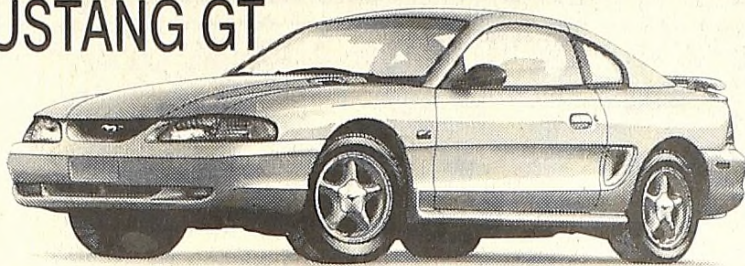
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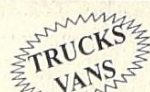


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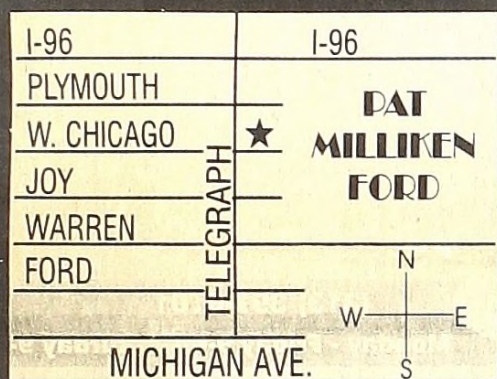
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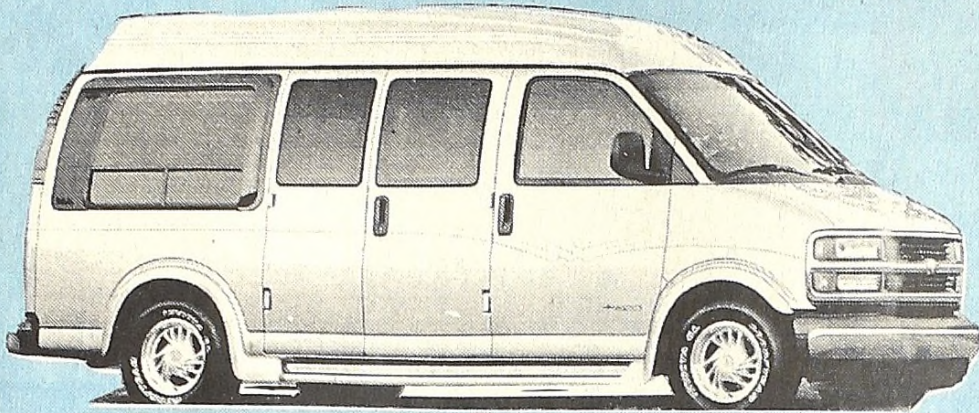
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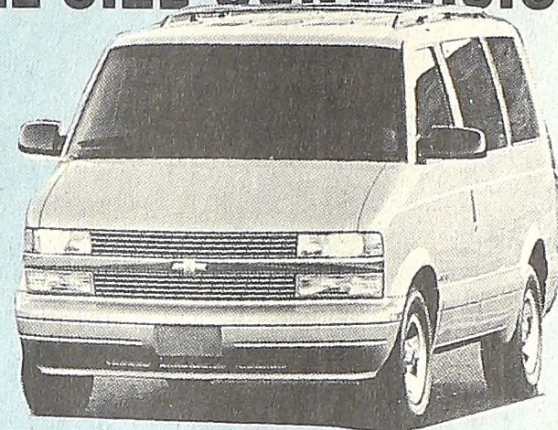
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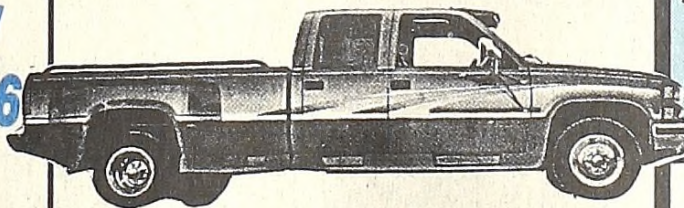


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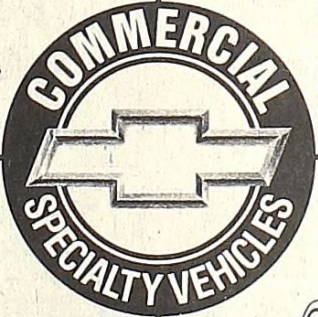
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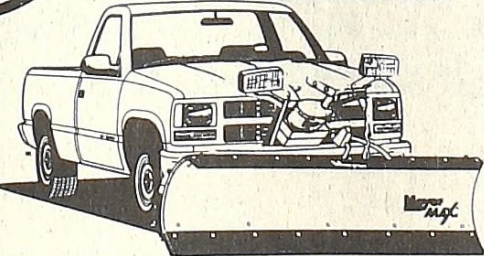
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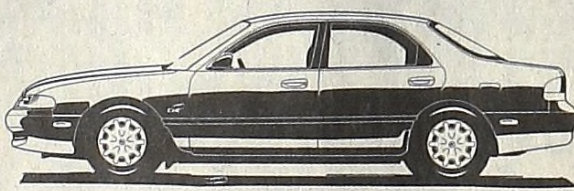
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